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THE SENTRY'S CLOAK.

Cold in the starlight Jerusalem sleeps,
With her white temple upreared to the sky;
Cold as the night wind that plaintively sweeps
O'er the weird shades that on Calvary lie.

One who has heard the dear lips that are still
Vanquish with love the vain Pharisee throng,
Waits at the tomb on the wind-beaten hill,
Through the night watches, so dark and so long.

Lonely is she, for the sentinels doze,
Wrapped in their cloaks, upon buckler and sword;
All save one Roman, who, spurning repose,
Guards the dark grave of the crucified Lord.

Not on the cross is he thinking to-night,
But on the wife and the children at home;
Loved ones whose smiles were a father's d light
In that far cot of imperial Rome.

True unto Cæsar and Pilate is he;
Firm is his footstep and stern is his brow;
He who to Him never lowered a knee
Feels not a thrill at the sepulchre now.

Hark! from the gloom comes a sorrowful cry,
As from a heart that is bursting with pain.
Flies the mailed hand to the sword on his thigh.
"Nay," he exclaims, "'Tis that woman again—

"She who with tears yester-even was here,
Pressing her babe to her rag-covered breast,
Watching this cavern of Arimathea,
Where the bold Nazarene now is at rest."

Seizing the camp torch he hastes to the form,
Saying, "The night breeze is chilly and wild;
Take thou my cloak—it is heavy and warm—
Cover thyself and thy shivering child."

Kindly he fondles the baby that hides
In the thin robe of that watcher sincere,
Then to his dreaming companions he strides,
From his dark cheek roughly dashing a tear.

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Bright dawns the sun upon Olivet's brow,
Bringing from Heaven the first Easter Day;
Duty and Faith both are slumbering now—
She on the mantle and he on the clay.

One standing near that bright Form from the dead
Sees the lone woman in sleep's heavy yoke,
Cries, as he wrenches the robe from her head,
"What dost thou here in the infidel's cloak?"

Then from the lips of the Saviour there come
Words full of tenderness, sorrow and pain—
"Lo, of My mission the substance and sum,
By yon poor soldier told over again!"

—*Thomas Frost.*

IOWA.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR STATE INSTITUTIONS—THE STATE BOARD OF CONTROL ABANDONED—NEW REVENUE LAW—OTHER MATTERS OF INTEREST.

The board of trustees for the various State Institutions have been nominated by the Republican caucus. They will be elected in joint convention of both houses soon. The bill to abolish all the trustees, and providing for a State Board of Control of the same has been abandoned. The committee who had it under consideration decided to report it for indefinite postponement; and thus the expensive system of control is maintained. The Trustees for the Iowa School for the Deaf at Council Bluffs, who have just been nominated are Mr. John Beatty of Nevada for the short term, and Mr. W. A. Delashmutt of Ringgold County for the long term vacancy. Mr. Weinstein, of Burlington, who has been on the board for many years, and who has been its worthy President for several years, has been unable to attend the meetings of the board for the past two years on account of an incurable disease. He has been a very valuable officer, but has been compelled to resign. Mr. C. S. Rauck, a Democrat of Iowa City, who has also been on the board for a number of years also resigned to take a seat in the present general assembly. There was left only one trustee Mr. Flickinger, of Council Bluffs, to look after the interests of the school. He is treasurer of the board, and has performed the duties to the credit of himself and the board. He will now have two new associates. Mr. Beatty is the father of three deaf children, one of which is dead, one is in school and the other one is at home.

The legislature is now considering a new revenue law for the State, which is set forth as follows: For general State purposes there shall be raised the sum of one million two hundred thousand dollars ($1,200,000) for the year 1894, and one million three hundred thousand ($1,300,000) for the year 1895, in lieu of the two mill tax. The State board of equalization shall annually compute the rate per cent required to produce not less than the above amounts. The committee has made an estimate of what they will recommend for the conduct of the State institutions for the biennial period. They call attention to the fact that the State institutions have been very scantily provided for at least for the past four years. Requests for appropriations for repairs, improvements, etc., have been cut down by every assembly, and pushed over to the next legislature under one pretext or another until these needs are to-day more pressing than ever before. This assembly was confronted with demands for a million and half dollars for the various institutions, to say nothing of over a hundred thousand dollars of other appropriations to which the assembly has practically given assent. To meet this vast amount, the Committee were told by the State auditors that there was only half a million dollars available under the present law. The Committee had to do the very best thing they could with the amount on hand, and to avoid a State debt they have resolved upon recommending an increase of the levy. After making allowances on what the Ways and Means Committee said they could safely appropriate, the question then resolves itself into this: shall the State Institutions of Iowa be denied every dollar of their demands for new buildings and exensions which aggregate the grand total of over $800,000? Unless some provision of law is made by this assembly no Institution practically will be permitted to lay one stone or brick upon another. And in the face of the fact that many of the young men and women of our State, who are the pride and hope of our future, recite in dark basements and sleep in dingy attics while in search of an education in all of our State Institutions, in the face of the crying demand for more room. Several hundred of applicants have been denied for the reason that there was no more room for their accommodation. It is the purpose of raising the revenue to decently care for the State's unfortunates, and for the betterment of our educational Institutions. We believe this revenue measure will become a law, then the State will have more funds at its disposal.

The *Critic* has the following item in its issue of March 8th, 1894:

The father of one of the teachers at the Iowa School is a State Senator, and it is understood that it is through his influence that the legislature deals liberally with the school.

O! Ignoramus! How little you know of the affairs of Iowa. No such senator is in the present assembly. We will inform the *Critic* that the Senator above referred to was in the legislature eight years ago, long before his son was appointed a teacher; so it will be seen that no such Senator has any part or influence in shaping the laws of the State in the present legislature.

Senator Baldwin presented a bill appropriating $10,000 for the maintenance of a School for the Deaf and Dumb in the city of Dubuque, providing for the renting of buildings and employment of teachers by a board of trustees, to be chosen by the executive council.

This is a new bill, quite different from the first one that was introduced by Senator Craig, which asked for an appropriation of $40,000 for new buildings, support, etc. The Committee have both bills under consideration, and they are at liberty to grant either request, should they be able to do so. In case it cannot be granted at present, it may be deferred to the next legislature when the new revenue law will be in force.

The woman suffrage bill was beaten in the legislature by six votes. They came very near winning their enfranchisement.

Compulsory education is dead in Iowa. Its friends have buried their pet and themselves in sackcloth, and bewail its untimely death.

INDIVIDUAL ITEMS.

We met Mr. Walter A. Crispin in the hall of the Salvation Army in Des Moines. His father and mother are mutes. His father's name is William A. Crispin, who was educated in the Indiana and Illinois Schools for the Deaf. He now lives in Bosworth, Mo. Walter is second leader and instructor of the Salvation Army recruits.

We met Mr. James H. Rowland, who said he had a cousin Mr. James Sheeley, an officer in the School for the Deaf at Fulton, Mo.

We met Mr. Fred. Fuchs at Waterloo, who has a cousin in the Ohio School for the Deaf by name of Albert Ohlemacher, of Norwalk, Ohio.

We met Mrs. Potter at Crisco, and had a pleasant talk with her. She is a sister to Mrs. Gould and Mrs. Downey, mutes, at Racine, Wisconsin. Her maiden name was Ada Rutherford. She had a mute brother who is now dead.

We met Miss Myrtle Cook in the *Calmar Courier* office. She is able to talk on the fingers. She used to know the late Miss Emma Ruka, a mute, in Wisconsin.

Mr. B. Anundsen, editor of the Decorah Posten, raised $2000 in this country, for the purpose of educating a deaf, dumb and blind girl, by the name of Raghnild Kaatafadet in Norway. We saw her picture.

The deaf-mutes in Des Moines often meet on Sunday afternoon in this city library, in the Y. M. C. A. building, where they read the papers, and talk about the news. Their conversation is so silent that no noise is made. Others may be jealous, as they are not allowed to talk above a whisper in the rooms.

Miss Alma Osterlund is a frequent visitor at Mrs. Cox's home, where other mutes meet occasionally. Both called at the splendid State Library in the Capitol the other day, where they met Mr. D. C. French and had a pleasant conversation for an hour, then they went out to call on a mute friend, Miss Jennie Freeborn, in the northern part of the city. On another occasion they met Mr. Pat O'Brein and Mr. D. C. French in the parlors of the Kirkwood Hotel, where all had a pleasant time. On the day Mrs. Cox left to visit her folks in the northwestern part of the State, she met Mr. French in the beautiful rotunda of the capital, and after a short talk pleasantly she left for the train. She will be back in a week, when the mutes will have another party at her home. In the meantime her husband will keep house himself. She goes out to see her father before he leaves for Oregon, where he will act as Superintendent of a gold mine for about eight months at a salary of $100 a month. He takes the place temporarily for a friend. She will also visit her mute married sister at Glidden, before she returns. Miss Osterlund is a charming young lady. She has improved greatly, since she graduated from school, in appearance, in manners and deportment. She has been offered a place to teach a mute girl at home in the northern part of the State, whose father is rich and a banker, but she has declined it and prefers to remain at home among her own friends.

Miss Roberts, from Missouri, is now teaching a deaf-mute boy at his home near Muscatine. I suppose, that parents of other deaf children will soon employ private teachers in eastern Iowa to teach them until they are old enough to be sent away to school.

Deaf-mutes in Des Moines follow different trades as follows: William Warren, who never attended a school for the deaf, is a brick-mason. He is able to read and write; Mr. Black works at the same trade and does other jobs; Mrs. Dora Black is a chambermaid in the Kirkwood hotel; Pat. O'Brien has a position in the same hotel; Willie Bently and Ed. Schuling work in the harness and saddlery factory; J. H. Harvey still runs a shoe shop, but his business is very dull at present; Charles Cummingham works in the tile factory at good wages. Several mutes from the city are in school at Council Bluffs, and one or two are in college at Kendall Green.

Jasper Lotridge, of Centerville, was in the city last week on one important business. He called to see Miss Alma Osterlund at her home, but she was absent with a mute lady. He remained at the house all day, was self-invited to dinner, waited till a little brother went after Alma and then his visit was cut short, as she went out to see her married sister. He did not call to see any of the other mutes in the city, and his conduct was commented on by them when they learned about it.

JACKSON.

March 14, '94.

NOTICE.

The Guild of Silent Workers meets next Tuesday evening, March 27th. It is hoped there may be a good attendance.

FANWOOD.

A Very Successful Entertainment

WITH MRS. JARLEY'S WAX WORKS.

A Social—An Accident—Other Happenings.

From our Fanwood Correspondent.

On Wednesday evening, March 14th, the pupils were entertained in the chapel. The entertainment in question was Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works, and was planned and carried out by teachers and officers connected with the school, and proved a success.

At a few minutes after eight o'clock, Mrs. Jarley (Miss Eva E. Buckingham) accompanied by her brother (Mr. William H. Van Tassell) appeared on the stage, and delivered the following amusing address:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—My poor brother was born deaf and dumb, and it has always been my duty to interest and amuse him, so he would not talk and disturb other people. I have gathered together the collection of figures that you see before you for his amusement. He enjoyed them so much that for a long time I have been traveling over the country, visiting the different deaf-mute institutions, hoping to give some pleasure to those deprived of hearing. I have brought my brother with me to interpret to you. These figures have been gathered from all parts of the world. I will describe them, and my assistants will wind them up, for they have machinery inside, and they can go through with the same motions as when they were living. They move so naturally that some people think they are alive, but I assure you that they are made of wood and wax, blockheads every one of them.

Her assistants were John, the oiler (Mr. Geo. Ray Hare), and Peter, the grinder (Mr. Percival Hall), and the way they oiled and wound up the figures was very amusing.

Below we give the names of the persons, and the figures they represented:

Father Time.....Mr. C. W. Van Tassell
Jack Sprat and Wife.....{Mr. A. P. McKean / Miss I. Montgomery
Mrs. Winslow.....Miss Launn C. Rice
Boy on Burning Deck...Curtis Wilcox, Jr.
Babes in the Wood..{Mrs. E. H. Currier / Mr. J. R. Wilcox
The Giggler.....Mrs. Julia F. Wilcox
Yankee.....Mr. C. Q. Mann
Bachelor and Future Wife.....{Mr. H. C. Seward / Miss M. L. Barrager
Red Riding Hood.....Miss Fayetta Peck
Maniac.....Miss Prudence Burchard
Lady Macbeth.....Miss Grace Peck
The Man-Monkey.....Mr. W. G. Jones
Singing Girl.....Miss Emily G. Hicks
Sleeping Beauty and the Prince.....{Miss G. M. LePrince / Mr. Thos. F. Fox

Miss Carrie L. Clarke, attired in a pretty costume, dusted the figures as soon as they were brought out.

Mrs. Jarley described her figures in this way:

FATHER TIME.

I need not describe this figure, you *all* can tell "Time." The poet says:

"Time cuts down all both great and small."

She then ordered John to put the scythe in the hands of Time, and after being wound up, and well oiled, sure enough "Time" began to move.

JACK SPRATT AND WIFE.

This group repesents Jack Spratt and his *economical* and loving wife. She adapted her tastes to the taste of her husband so skillfully that nothing was ever wasted in this family. Perhaps you remember that Mother Goose wrote:

"Jack Spratt could eat no fat
His wife could eat no lean,
And so betwixt them both, you see
They licked the platter clean."

MRS. WINSLOW.

Let me introduce Mrs. S. A. Winslow for thirty years a nurse. She holds in her hand a bottle of that wonderful syrup that has quieted so many yells, after ordering John to wind the figure up, so as to give the audience an idea how the syrup is taken. She continued: "Children cry for it." The child she holds would cry only it is broken, but I shall have another "crier" put in next week.

BOY ON THE BURNING DECK.

This boy was so foolish as to stand on the burning deck. He turned to look at the wise people, who were fleeing, and his head became turned so that it is impossible to turn it back again. He obeyed his father and now stands as a warning to you. If he had been brought up in the modern way, and had run away because his father told him to stay, his life would have been spared.

BABES IN THE WOOD.

In this group you behold the Babes in the Wood, who had the misfortune to have an uncle. The wicked uncle hired a villain to carry these babes away into the wood, and leave them to die, and the robins came and covered them with leaves. But when the villain went away from the children his heart softened a little and he gave each babe a doughnut as a parting present. I did not show the villain in the group, because villains are too common to be a curiosity.

THE GIGGLER.

When this girl was very young she had the habit of laughing. The older she grew, the more she laughed. She even laughed at young men. She was at last choked to death when laughing and eating at the same time, which proves the truth of the poet's words:

"Laughing girls and crowing hens
Always come to some bad end."

YANKEE.

You here see a native Yankee, who has been everywhere, seen everything, and knows everybody. He has sold wooden nutmegs in the Desert of Sahara, and hung his hat and carved his name on the North Pole. I cannot tell what he cannot do. I will set him up as he hates to be quiet.

BACHELOR AND FUTURE WIFE.

You behold here an example of the power of true love. The bachelor lived alone in the country with the rats and mice. He decided to go to London for a wife. In those days the streets were so narrow, he had to bring her home on a wheelbarrow. This shows how much a man will do for a loving wife. See how gracefully she carries her parasol, and how happy he appears.

RED RIDING HOOD.

Here you behold Little Red Riding Hood, who loved her grandmother so much, that she went through the woods to take the old lady a lunch, and was eaten by a wolf instead. This is a lesson for you not to do too much for your grandmother, unless she is rich and will leave you some money. Children are very fond of Red Riding Hood, but some think that if her eyes were as sharp as those of the deaf, she would not have mistaken the wolf for her grandmother.

MANIAC.

Martha Bangs, the miserable maniac, who poisoned fourteen families by giving them pickles. She holds in her hand the fatal jar, which has distroyed so many human beings. To describe here in the language of the poet: "Face white as the driven snow, hair black as the driven charcoal."

LADY MACBETH.

A lady of large mind. She was a good housewife, as she went about nights trying to keep things clean and in order. She was very neat, as a spot on her hands kept awake. She had a way of murdering her husband's guests in order to give success for him. Like all strong-minded women, she had a weak husband. She hold's a candle and seems to be looking for spots upon her hands, although her eyes are closed in sleep.

THE MAN-MONKEY.

You here see the missing link between man and monkey. A common ape would blush to act like him. The monkey lives on the top of the higher trees and eats cocoanuts, but this man-monkey has not the good sense to keep out of sight. He walks the streets and stands at the corners sucking his cane, squinting through his eye glasses at the ladies.

SINGING GIRL.

I now call your attention to the most costly of all my figures. This wonderful figure Signorina Squallini, the unrivalled singer whose songs sway all hearts at her own sweet will. She sings, then stops. John oils her, then she sings better.

SLEEPING BEAUTY—THE PRINCE.

You here see a beauty, remarkable for her powers of sleeping. She has sometimes even fallen asleep in church. One day she took a dose of ether and fell so fast asleep that the report of a cannon, and worse still the report of her engagement, failed to awaken her. One day a Prince came along. He was looking for a quiet wife, and as she could not speak he chose her. He took her hand, raising it to his lips imprinted a kiss upon it. At once the young lady aroused, and hit him a rousing blow on his ear. The Prince was so stuck that he offered her his hand, and they were married, the fair bride taking three naps during the ceremonies.

On Friday evening, the teachers and officers connected with the Institution gave an invitation party. Music was furnished for the occasion by the Protective Union of Music. The guests began to arrive at about nine o'clock, and half an hour later the girls' study, which was the scene of the gathering, with its decorations, gave it the appearance of a ball room, and together with the faultless attire of the ladies and gentleman present, was indeed enchanting to behold. The dancing was carried out in this order:

1. Waltz.
2. Lanciers.
3. Deux Temps.
4. Waltz.
5. Caprice.
6. Deux Temps.
7. Waltz.
8. Galop.

INTERMISSION.

9. Deux Temps.
10. Lanciers.
11. Waltz.
12. [illegible]
13. Polka.
14. Lanciers.
15. Deux Temps.
16. Sir Roger de Coverly.

During intermission refreshments of ice cream, cakes, etc., were served to the guests.

It was a very elaborate affair, and much enjoyed by those who took part.

Those present were:

Principal and Mrs. E. H. Currier, Miss K. M. Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilcox, Messrs. J. R. and Curtis Wilcox, Jr., Mr. Andrew P. McKean, Miss Emily G. Hicks, Miss Grace H. Stryker, Miss Prudence Burchard, Mr. H. C. Seward, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Francis Fox, Mr. Percival Hall, Mr. E. A. Hodgson, Mr. George Ray Hare, Mrs. I. L. Peet, Mr. Geo. H. Peet, Miss Bessie Peet, Miss Ida Montgomery, Mr. Chas. K. M. Hall, Mr. Charles MacMullen, Miss Aime Le Prince, Mr. Murray Carrington, Mr. Theodore Peet, Miss Tracy, Miss Enderly, Mr. Lamb, Mrs. S. G. Hicks, Dr. Baldwin, Madame Le Prince, Miss E. McAllister, Dr. M. M. Miller, Mr. M. Rodenstein, Mr. A. Le Prince, Mr. F. Le Prince, Miss G. M. Le Prince, Miss Hudson, Miss MacGuffy, Mr. Prest, Mr. Joseph Royce, Miss Fayetta Peck, Miss Prudence Lewis, Mr. J. H. Koster, Miss M. Ingebrand, Mr. J. Ingebrand, Jr., Miss M. Greschen, Miss M. Hatch, Mr. Wm. H. Van Tassell and Mr. Anthony Capelli.

NOTES.

A bricklayer employed on the new laundry and power-house met with an accident last Friday. While trying to ascend to the top of the three-story structure by means of the temporary elevator, which is used to convey brick to the workmen, he fell, but beyond a sprained leg he received no other injury. An ambulance soon arrived, and he was taken to the Manhattan Hospital.

Henry Bettels entertained the Fanwood Literary Association in the chapel last Saturday evening, with a stereopticon lecture. The pictures shown on a canvas 7 x 7 feet were mostly comic, and Henry must have had St. Valentine's Day in mind, as by way of explanation, he had prepared the names of those who he thought the pictures looked like.

Frank Sweater, of Ohio, and James Flanagan, of St. Paul, Minn., were around the Institution on Monday last. They are deaf-mutes, who expect to find employment in New York or some of the nearby towns.

Dr. William E. Porter and wife were the guests of Principal Currier last Sunday. Dr. Porter is the son of the late Dr. Porter who for ten years was superintendent of this institution.

The members of the High Class are getting their boat, the "Proteus," in readiness. They will probably give it a new coat of paint before launching it, which will be as soon as warm weather sets in.

Samuel Cox, on Saturday afternoon, March 10th, deprived the stream at Whitestone, L. I., of fourty-four flounders, and on the same day Herman Lamm caught an eel weighing five pounds. James Britt will soon get his boat ready, and then we will perhaps be able to record his exploits with the hook and line.

Mr. Arthur L. Thomas, was up at the Institution Monday evening of this week on business.

Mr. Frank M. Senior visited Fanwood Tuesday, it being about ten years since he was here last. He is a first-class draughtsman and designer, and a credit to this school. He designed the heading of this paper.

James H. Caton was here for a few days' visit this week.

A. QUAD.

Rev. Mr. Mann's Appointments.

MARCH.

25—10:45 A.M. Cleveland. Easter Celebration.
25—4 P.M. Cleveland. Evening Service.
20—3:00 P.M. Fort Wayne.
20—7:30 P.M. Fort Wayne. Special Service.
23—7:30 P.M. Cleveland. Good Friday.
25—10:45 A.M. Cleveland. Easter Celebration.
25—4:00 P.M. Cleveland.
30—7:30 P.M. Columbus.
31—7:30 P.M. Dayton.

APRIL.

1—9:00 A.M. Dayton. Holy Communion.
1—10:30 A.M. Dayton. Confirmation.
1—3:00 P.M. Dayton.
1—7:30 P.M. Springfield.
2—3:00 P.M. Findlay, O.
2—7:30 P.M. " " Special Service.
7—7:30 P.M. Columbus.
8—9:45 A.M. Columbus.
8—11:00 A.M. Columbus. Confirmation.
8—3:00 P.M. Columbus.
9—3:00 P.M. Portsmouth, O.
9—7:30 " Portsmouth, "
13—7:30 P.M. Indianapolis.
14—10:00 A.M. Terre Haute.
14—2:00 P.M. Terre Haute. Confirmation.
15—3:0 P.M. Chicago. Confirmation.

Other appointments will follow in due time. Rev. Mr. Mann's address is 878 Logan Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

WISCONSIN DEAF-MUTE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION.

SEVENTH REUNION AT MADISON, WIS., JULY 2–7, 1894.

The Wisconsin Deaf-Mute Alumni Association is hereby notified that the Triennial State Convention of the Wisconsin Deaf Alumni Association will be held at Madison, Wis., commencing on Monday, July 2d, for as long as a majority in attendance may determine, which place and time, having now been decided by a majority vote of the Executive Committee as follows:—

Mr. L. Bushnell, for Madison and July.
" H. M. O'Neil, "
" E. L. Sampson, "
" W. Brophy, for Delavan and June.
" Otto Schonor "

Remember the place and date. It is ardently hoped that every graduate and ex-pupil of the Wisconsin School for the Deaf, and their friends, will recognize in this call a cordial invitation to be present, and that the efforts of Secretary W. Robinson and the Executive Committee will result in bringing together a large number of deaf citizens of this State and their friends, who wish to attend the forthcoming reunion.

Secretary W. Robinson will take steps to secure special rates on railroads for the benefit of all coming to this convention. All who anticipate attending said reunion, are requested to notify the secretary, Prof. Warren Robinson, Delavan, Wis., as it is desired to make, at the earliest possible date, an approximate estimate of the attendance.

The Executive Committee will cooperate to the best of their ability with members in securing the services of a local committee, to make arrangements for suitable and desirable accommodation at fair and reasonable prices during the period of said convention, thus tending to make our association a pleasant and grand success. Now, let us urge that you all please call attention to this notice if there are others who have not received it, and ask them to join the approaching organization to their advantage and that you bring to said organization in condensed form any and all matters of complaint and grievances, and use your own judgment, in telling the facts of past experience, to the end that by counsel and action we may affect changes and improvements wherever needed.

Addresses are expected to be handled to your advantage. A program will be made for the forthcoming meeting.

E. L. SAMPSON,
Chairman Ex. Com.
NORWAY GROVE, WIS., Feb. 26.

A few second thoughts will convince all concerned that the choice of place made by the Executive Committee is a very beautiful and appropriate one. A great many seem to have misunderstood the voting for the choice of a place here at the last reunion. The Association has nothing to do with the matter of deciding the place of meeting. That is left, by the Constitution of the Association, entirely in the hands of the Executive Committee, as is also the time.

Now, let us all go to work as friends and brothers, saving both our pennies and our best thoughts and intentions for a grand meeting at the Capital City. A strong effort will be made to secure the best programme yet. Prominent men, including Gov. Peck and the Mayor of Madison, will be asked to deliver addresses. There will also be plenty of amusement and sightseeing. Let us not disappoint the expectations of those who intend to be present, but let every one make up his mind that he will come and see his old friends and classmates at least once in three years. By doing this we will be enabled to increase both the dignity and usefulness of the Association. Just think how often the hearing meet together and how much they spend in keeping up organizations and associations, not only to further their own interests but that they may [illegible] classmates or associates.

Show your generosity and appreciation of the labors of the Executive Committee, by responding in such numbers that it will be hard to find places for so many. Remember that the greater the attendance the less it will cost you.

WARREN ROBINSON,
Sec'y W. D. A. A.

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"He's true to God who's true to man;
Wherever wrong is done
To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

WE referred "Free Lance's" query, concerning the use of signs at the New York Institution, to Principal Currier, who declines to go into a lengthy explanation, but cheerfully makes the following statement: "This institution stands on the broad platform of trying all things and holding fast to that which is good. Nothing that will benefit the deaf is tabooed."

Principal Currier is an expert in the use of signs. He knows their value, and is not likely to repudiate an expedient which is by him so thoroughly understood. Because some of our institutions have decided to limit the use of signs, a great many have jumped to the conclusion that the sign-language is to be smothered to death. As they have not succeeded in doing that in even the ultra-oral schools, it is hardly likely that any school whose system is eclectic will succeed, even if it is attempted.

Much of this recent revulsion in reference to signs has been caused by their excessive use, in times past, by teachers whose only language was the sign language, and whose ability to express ideas in English was often more feeble than that of many of the pupils in the school where they were employed as "professors." That they may have been—that they undoubtedly were—good and faithful teachers and did their level best, is conceded. Still the impression has gained that signs constitute the sole diet of the deaf in schools that allow them, and this belief has been fostered and spread broadcast, either by flat-footed statement or by innuendo, by some of our pure-oral friends and enthusiasts, until quite a large proportion of the public began to think that deaf-mutes went to combined system schools to be taught the sign language, or to oral schools to learn to talk. By the ordinary process of reasoning, parents quite naturally decided that it was better to learn to speak than to make signs, and a preference was given to oral schools simply and solely on that account. To disabuse the mind of the public concerning signs, many combined system schools have found it wise and judicious to emphasize the fact that signs are used to a limited extent *only*, and that their conception of the value of signs in educating the deaf was when the minimum of use would produce the maximum of good. These institutions also are obliged to give extra emphasis to the fact that, from the beginning, they *do* teach speech and speech-reading to *all*, and continue it to the end with every pupil who can profit by it without retarding his or her intellectual development.

To sum it up, the combined system schools want the public to know and clearly understand that they make it a prime object to teach speech and speech-reading, and can do it equally as well and obtain as high results as the one-method schools; but above and beyond all this, they are concerned in the mental and moral *education* of all the deaf children placed under their care.

THE long-expected newspaper for the deaf—the *National Exponent*—will send forth its initial number on predictions made by the JOURNAL several months ago, both as to the date of first issue and the personality of the editor-in-chief. Whatever may be its reception by other newspapers, in the JOURNAL office it will be judged solely on its merits.

WHISPERINGS UNDER THE ROSE.

Mr. Henry C. White's address is No. 5 Waverly Street, Brighton, Mass.

From what a gentleman high in authority has written me, in regard to Miss Taylor's views and attitude on the combined system, my statements concerning her in a previous letter need correction, and it is a matter of sincere pleasure to me to be able to state that Miss Taylor never was an oral teacher, and even declined to enter the oral department at Mt. Airy, though she understood much of the method. She is a staunch supporter of the combined system, and it was mainly through the recommendations of Dr. E. M. Gallaudet and Prof. Job. Williams to the Maine School authorities that she was appointed Principal. With these facts before me, I can do no less than to make a retraction, after having done Miss Taylor the injustice of imputing wrong motives to her acceptance of the principalship of the school.

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Mr. Edwin Williams reports having been waylaid by three men and robbed of a purse of forty dollars, on the railroad crossing in Jamesville, one or two weeks ago. The men escaped down the track.

Mrs. Harrington went to the City of Witches for a stay of a few weeks visiting friends.

Miss Maggie Hines is in Salem stopping with Mrs. Letts, and expects to get a good job in one of the shoe factories. She has been working for Mrs. Harrington for some time past.

Mr. Fred Wood is taking quite a prominent part in the meetings of the Mutual Benefit Society these days, and proving himself a good talker in matters of business.

The debate last Wednesday in the Boston Society came off on the question as to which was the most desirable season of the year, summer or winter. A spirited, interesting debate, was made by Mr. Eugene Acheson the pleasures of winter, and by Mr. Fred Wood on the charms of summer. The judges, Messrs. Docharty, Creamer and Holmes, decided that Mr. Acheson carried off most of the points in the debate.

Mr. Frank W. Bigelow has set himself up in business on his private account, and is ready to receive orders for good work and neat jobs. His card reads: "Frank W. Bigelow, with Bigelow & Jordan, Boston. Pictures framed to order, 125 Washington Avenue, Chelsea." Mr. Bigelow, of the firm, is no relative of his—merely a coincidence.

Bertha Treat is reported in the papers to have confessed her attempted murder of her uncle. Particulars are not at hand, but doubtless will be forthcoming in due time. She has one faithful friend in Mr. Henry Acheson, who wrote her a letter of sympathy.

Mrs. Samuel Hamilton is living very ill at home in Boston, suffering from mental and prostration in watching over the bedside of her younger boy, sick with scarlet fever.

Mr. Rines mourns the death of his married sister to whose patience and kindness he owes a great debt of gratitude, when his unfortunate course of his life is considered.

Mr. Samuel S. Cross, the President of the Salem Society of Deaf-Mutes, was present at the debate in the Boston Society, and gave notice of a pleasant fancy dress party that took place in his Society's rooms last Thursday. Quite a number of Bostonians went down there and enjoyed themselves.

A good many oral graduates were present at the debate last Wednesday, among whom was Miss Meagher, who is a great favorite with everybody who knows her. These oral graduates have been going to the society meetings for so long a time, that they know how to use the sign-language of the Abbe De l'Epee, with the same ease and rapidity as the Hartford graduates. They say they would not give up the sign-language for all the world. One of them said that the larger boys and girls are passing away from the Horace Mann School, and that they are now succeeded by a troop of little children, upon whom strict surveillance is maintained that they might not learn to express their struggling ideas by signs or gestures. Oh, the pity of it!

George Mooney, who left the Horace Mann School two years ago, after having wasted eight years in a vain effort to benefit himself by the wonderful elixir of oralism, which was warranted to restore him to society, found his education incomplete, and through the kind efforts of Mr. Donohue, from New York, obtained admission to the old, long established sanitarium for the cure of disabled intellects at Hartford, Conn., and departed thither a happy young man last week.

The Northampton Institute is following in the footsteps of the Horace Mann School, *vide* the following item from the Boston papers:

NEW BUILDING FOR DEAF-MUTES.

NORTHAMPTON, March 16—The corporators of the Clarke Institute for Deaf-Mutes have voted to build a new hall for the use of the kindergarten department started a year ago. The building will be on the east side of the road on Round hill, near Dudley hall, and will cost about $15,000.

Without the aid of the sign language drawn out.—*Nothing can prove*

more than they do their speech habits. That is a matter much to be regretted, but it can not be helped. They must be able to talk with ease and confidence, or they will not talk at all. They realize very keenly that the world is not a school-room.

BREVITIES.

The cruel war is not over yet in Maine. It is quite appropriate that the deaf-mutes should step in and finish the battle, after the principals have [illegible] for once broken her rule not to interfere with other schools, but the revolution in Portland was too much for her. While she is about it, she should explain to a mystified public why her own pupils persist in the use of signs in her own school and after graduation.

The victory of the Complete Method in Maine seems to be gall and wormwood to our friends, the oralists, to judge from the way they went after the School Board. Better let it be decided by a vote of the deaf-mutes of Maine. Why not? They are supposed to be the parties most interested.

Every reference to the "eclectic institute" at Mount Airy is unfortunate for the oralists, for as long as it has a manual department it is a standing argument in favor of the combined system. No getting around this fact.

When Messrs. Booth and Davidson rejected my reply to Prof. Kirkhuff's bombastic article, they probably supposed that this would be the end of it, but they did not know this child. It is fortunate for the deaf that there are papers independent enough to print both.

Some of our kind friends who have been criticising the correspondents on Dr. Gillett's account, would do well to ask themselves two questions before they open their minds again on the subject. Why does Dr. Gillett not say as much to reporters and the public in favor of the signs in our education as he does in eulogy of the oral system? Why does he not recommend the combined system, if he believes in both methods.

We no dot believe in bolstering up one method at the expense of another; not we. And what is more, we do not believe in allowing any one to do it without a strong protest. That is the whole case in a nutshell.

I think it is high time for the New York Institution to give some explanation of its policy in regard to the use of signs under its roof. Let us hear what is actually being done.

Somebody remarks that it takes some nerve to speak ill of a Gallaudet, a Gillett or a Bell, on the part of those however remotely connected with the profession. Well, the sign language of the Abbe De l'Epee is our nerve-tonic, and we have been taking it in large doses ever since we could remember. There is nothing like it for toning up our nerves.

A friend in one of the ultar-oral institutions writes that the intolerant oralist professors would like to muzzle up the deaf-mute correspondents, and they mutter maledictions beneath their breath at the weekly budget of facts furnished by them to the world. Sorry, but they must blame the cold facts, not those who merely state them.

Mac used to hurl fierce anathemas at the college authorities in the JOURNAL under an *inquisitive* name, for seeming favoritism of the "Easterners." I suppose that he is now satisfied, since his name has been decorated with the degree of M.A., and he has been invited to address the Fellows, and that he has no more to say about "unjust discriminations," "favoritism of Easterners," etc. Mac can rest assured that the Easterners do not grudge him his honors one bit.

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Edward Mace, better known as "Dummy" Mace, the famous pugilist of Australia, [illegible] City [illegible] Australia. Mace is deaf and dumb, but he can read and write, and has a great record as a pugilist, having engaged in dozens of fistic encounters in Australia. He was born on June 24, 1867, Geelong, Victoria, Australia. His last fight was with E. Dawson at the Sydeny Athletic Club. After thirty-four rounds the fight was declared a draw. Mace is willing to meet any man in America at 126 pounds for a reasonable stake and the largest purse.—*N. Y. Herald.*

COLLEGE CHRONICLE.

A Tie-Game of Baseball With Columbia.

A PANTOMIMIC PLAY.

Dr. Zeballos' Visit—Meeting of the O.W.L.S.—Minor Notes.

From our College Correspondent.

The recent mild weather, and consequently good condition of the grounds, has enabled our nine to keep constantly at practice, and they are rapidly getting into trim. The last practice game was on Wednesday, with the strong Columbia University team, and the score was a tie—12 to 12. Our nine scored seven runs in the last inning, which was not finished, the game being called on account of darkness. Apropos of this baseball interest, the faculty has recently given consent to the engagement of Stephenson, the professional New Jersey mute player, to coach our team. He is expected here this week, and arrangements have been made for his stay within our buildings for one month. This unexpected favor has caused great pleasure. The faculty has given the matter the most serious consideration, as the case is unprecedented. The various prejudices against such course of action seem to have been removed. Any casual observer will notice the decided weakness of our nine—the lack of proper coaching. As to individuality, there is fine material, and by the assistance of Stephenson it is hoped that our men will show up exceptionally well. Our diamond is leveling, and will soon be in fine condition for use.

The Saturday Night Dramatic Club gave another pantomime play last Friday, in two parts, "M. Toupet, the Dancing Barber," and "Volauvent and the Millers," by the comic pantomimist, Tony Dernier. The entertainment was a success; the acting was especially good; but should this kind of play continue, the aim of the club will be lost, as in developing and cultivating a good theatrical taste classical plays are much preferred, and the reason for this preference is greater from its exhibition in such a college as ours. To people of taste, that play was rather a failure. The attendance, as usual, was large and appreciative. The leading stars were Messrs. Kershner, '94, Hubbard, '96, Sullivan, '96, and Smileau, '97. The dancing and mimicry of Smileau in the part of M. Toupet, and of Hubbard as Volauvent, a lazy servant, were the features of the evening.

In the last issue, we spoke of a Dr. Zeballos, Minister from the Argentine Republic. His failure to appear on the appointed occasion was explained on the plea of unexpected engagements, but he made a thorough inspection of the college work and buildings Tuesday, with our president. We will append, through the kindness of the latter, an acknowledgment received from Dr. Zeballos the next day:

LEGACION ARGENTINA,
WASHINGTON.

DEAR MR. GALLAUDET:—I love nature. It seems to me that one of the highest missions of man is to improve or complete nature in behalf of humanity. And you are doing so, correcting the organical trouble of the interesting and unfortunate deaf-mute people.

Your father, yourself, and your most kind companions in your work, deserve the gratitude and admiration of all good natures and of scientific men.

In presenting to you my best thanks, I heartily congratulate you for your institution and for your beautiful and humanitarian dedication to the love and happiness of your pupils.

ESTANISLAO ZEBALLOS.

The O. W. L. S. met Saturday evening, and the following was the programme carried out: Essay—the Life of Goethe, by Miss Schankweiler, '94; Debate—Resolved, That the declaration "that all men are created equal" is true. Misses Thompson, '95, and Block, '96, were for the affirmative and negative sides respectively. The judges, Misses Bicksler, '97, being unable to decide the question, made it a tie. Referred questions answered by Miss McGowan, '98; Dialogue, "The Ghosts of Madames Roland and Joan of Arc conversing with each other," by Misses Martin, '95, and Price, '97; Declamation, "Barbara Frietschie" by Miss Leyder, '98. A public meeting will be held on the 14th of April.

The Vespers Lawn Tennis Club was re-organized last week for the coming third term, and the following are the new officers elected: President, Thomas Sheridan, '94; Vice-President, Murdy, '95; Secretary-Treasurer, Bingham, '95; Captain, Lewis, '96, and Committee, Hubbard, '96, and Whitlocke, '97. The most important thing acted upon was the selection of a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Sheridan, '94, Cowan, '95, and Lewis, '96, to arrange a tennis tournament to be held in April or May. The college classes will be represented in this tournament, and a prize will be given to the winning class.

Through the JOURNAL, our attention has been called repeatedly to arrangements the enthusiasts and admirers of base ball at the Fanwood School are projecting—for one or two games between that team and the Kendalls. The interest has revived here, but it is difficult to make any reliable assurance at present. We are very willing to meet that team, and for that purpose, our manager, Jay C. Howard, '95, will go to New York during the Easter vacation, and a special arrangement may be made with Manager Fox. Mr. Sheridan, '94, may accompany Mr. Howard.

The camping season will begin on the noon of Friday, the 30th inst., and continue till 6th of April. This is the longest vacation possible without getting into the wheel of the college work, and nearly three-fourths of the students will camp out at the traditional, place, Camp Gallaudet, near Great Falls. Preparations are being made, and about seven parties have so far decided upon the pleasures afforded by the occasion. The Fellows are contemplating the formation of a party, and then Kendall Green will be vacated by many for one week. Most of those who will stay here are ball players.

Gymnasium Instructor Adams is in Iowa, called thence lately by intelligence announcing the death of his father. Our sympathy is with him. Ryan, '94, Captain, has charge of the gymnasium during his absence.

Mr. Kiesel was dangerously ill last week with pneumonia, but is reported to be improving. Miss Frederick, '95, taught the class under Mr. Kiesel's instruction during his absence.

Miss Rogers, of the High Class at the Kendall School, was called upon the other day by her father, from South Carolina.

Cowan, '95, has at last got his wheel from Canada. It has been kept off by the custom-house officers for some time.

A party of wheelmen, consisting of Kershner, '94, Wright, '96, Smileau, '97, Warren, '98, and ye writer, took a spin to the Falls, Saturday.

The selected students are making their selections for the third term work.

Prof. Chickering and daughters have invited the Senior and Junior Classes to a reception at their home, Saturday evening.

The "Gym" exhibition will be given Friday evening, at the gymnasium hall. The absence of Mr. Adams may injure to some extent the preparation of a programme.

Examinations begin Wednesday, the 28th, and last till the following Friday.

Sheridan, '94, is the usher of the Kendall School.

Duea, '93, is recovering from his sprained ankle.

Examination is in progress at the Kendall School.

M. M.

KENDALL GREEN, March 19, '94.

PHILADELPHIA.

From our Philadelphia Correspondent.

Last Monday evening, a good number of deaf, and hearing people entered and took seats in All Souls' Church, waiting until Rev. Mr. Koehler began the evening service.

He announced that he was very glad to introduce his brother ministers to make brief addresses, and then to welcome all the deaf and their friends to enjoy themselves at the reception, with a collation, as a part of the celebration of the 35th anniversary of the mission.

Rev. Dr. Gallaudet was introduced, and he asked the audience to show up who had been at the first service he held on March 4th, 1859. Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie, Mrs. Vancourt, Mrs. J. J. Stevenson, Mrs. Paullin, Mr. James E. Morony, Mr. John Scheetz, announced that they were at the first service; and the doctor said he was much pleased to see the large attendance the previous day, and it seemed to him as a dream compared with the few mutes in 1859.

Then Rev. C. Orvis Dantzer, the Missionary to the Deaf in Central New York, made a short address concerning how he became a missionary, and how he visited the field Rev. Mr. Koehler has in this state, and how he admired our church and was pleased at the commemoration of the mission the previous day. He was followed by Mr. Moylan, the lay-reader of the Deaf-Mute Mission in Baltimore, who said he was a Roman Catholic, but he became an Episcopalian, and was glad to accept a call to take charge of the deaf-mute mission in Baltimore. Then the venerable Rev. Job Turner took the floor and discoursed upon the educational advantages and uses of the Book of Common Prayer. In conclusion, Rev. Mr. Koehler made a few remarks, and pronounced the benediction. Then the ministers, followed by the deaf-mutes and friends, marched two by two into the Bible-class room, where they took seats at the three long tables, and a very nice collation, containing fried oysters, ice-cream, cakes, coffee and buns, and fruits was served to nearly two hundred guests. Every one there appreciated the reception and refreshments a good deal. After that, the group of the ministers, officers of All Souls' Guild, of the Working People's Club, of the Pastoral and Society and all the mutes there, was taken in a photograph by flash-light through the skillful manipulation of Mr. Unsworth, of Baltimore. At about 11:30 o'clock all went home in every direction, voting it a grand success.

The next evening, the monthly business meeting of the council of All Souls' Club was held, with Mr. Fortescue presiding. Among some business transactions, it was unanimously agreed that another theatrical entertainment, in which a play named "The Bravo of Venice," will be given, to be held in the Club Hall, Thursday evening, May 3d or 10th, under the direction of the committee consisting of Messrs. Wm. H. Lipsett, Chairman and Manager, W. G. Pownall and Mrs. M. J. Syle.

On Thursday evening last, the club held its quarterly business meeting in in its hall.

Mr. John Paul, of Boston, Mass., told his friends here he likes to read the Boston and Philadelphia letters a great deal.

Mr. James Pollock, one of the leading woolen and cotton manufacturers of this city, having a deaf-mute son, and daughter-in-law, living in Frankford, was lately drawn as a juryman in the United States Circuit Court, the term beginning April 2d.

Miss Kyle, and her cousin, of Wilmington, Delaware, were gladly received by friends at All Souls' Church yesterday.

Mr. M. C. Fortescue, who conducted the service on the fifth Sunday after Lent, read a very interesting sermon upon the text, "God is our Refuge."

On the 1st, at All Souls' Club, Mr. Wm. Henry Lipsett recited a very interesting novel, entitled "Ivan the Serf," which was loudly applauded and appreciated.

THE RECORDER.

PHILA., March 12, '94.

I wonder if every reader of the JOURNAL has read the full sermon delivered by Rev. J. M. Koehler at All-Souls' Church.

Last Saturday evening, the room where the Mutual Deaf-Mute Athletic Club generally meets was crowded with visitors besides its members. The feature of the evening was a Fishing Party. At the conclusion, the bid for a "fish" was a card prescribed "Thanks to all, and Good Night." That peculiar idea of shrewdness caused the party to burst into laughter, while the last "fisherman" was seen in a chagrined and disappointed mood. Every one there patronized the club. Over $8 was cleared from the "Fishing Game." Messrs. Mondeau, McGahan, Doughten, McCarthy and Ormrod, were the active committee who deserve credit for making the party a success.

Mr. Wm. Maginnis, one of the good and faithful henchmen of Mr. Aloysius J. McGahan, wants to encourage Mr. McGahan in his usually earnest work for the benefit of the club, by making him a gift in the shape of a subscription to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL at his own expense. No doubt Mr. Gahan will appreciate the gratitude of his faithful friend.

Mr. Theodore Natter generally works at Shute wagon building every morning up-town, and also does work in a florist's hot-houses in Nicetown every afternoon, for his uncle. Every Sunday afternoon, he has a flower of different color, at different times, on his coat.

Last Thursday evening, the pleasant face of Prof. Weston Jenkins, Principal of Trenton School for the Deaf, gladdened the friends and members of All Souls' Club, at which hall he gave a very interesting recital of Chas. Reade's "Cloister and Hearth," but he has obliged to postpone reading the remainder till some future time. The club will no doubt invite him to finish the recital some time before May. He had to go out at once in order to catch his train for Trenton.

Mrs. M. J. Syle went to Reading, Pa., last Saturday morning, where she gave a reading of "Cymbeline," before the deaf-mute society in the evening, and witnessed her son Eddie confirmed yesterday, and also attended the Bible Class for the Deaf. She is expected home to-day.

Rev. Mr. Koehler will conduct the services next Wednesday and Thursday evenings, and Friday noon and evening, at All Souls' Church.

We heard that Mrs. B. Warrington, *nee* Laura Toole, was blessed with the gift of a child, two weeks ago, and that Mr. Shuster, a deaf-mute, who is in partnership with his father in a bottling business in Camden, N. J., was made the happy father of a little bouncing boy by his wife, and the child was named after his grandpapa, Frank A. Shuster, Jr., last Sunday.

The genteel mother of Mr. Isaac D. Dewees was presented with a home-made cake by a friend of Frankford upon her 72d birthday, last Saturday. Her husband, who voted for the ex-President Harrison's father for the Presidency of this country, when he was twenty-one years of age, will reach the age of seventy-five years soon. They are enjoying good health.

Mr. James McMechen, of Boston, Mass., paid a flying visit to Atlantic City, N. J., last Tuesday, which he thinks is the best bathing resort on the Atlantic coast, and did a little business. He returned here last Thursday.

Mr. John H. Sands seems to be in a melancholy spirit, for he hasn't succeeded in finding employment here ever since November, but he still has hopes of a job at sorting waste in a mill, or his old place at stone-cutting, within a short while.

Mr. Joseph Dorfner will probably pay his regular monthly visit to New York City next Saturday.

There will be a baptism at 2 o'clock, and an Easter service with Holy Communion at 2:30 o'clock, at All Souls' Church, next Sunday afternoon.

In the "Society Chat" of the Washington, D. C., *Inquirer*, we learn that a governess to little Miss Ruth Cleveland has been appointed, which will doubtless set at rest the heartless fake started in the newspapers about the exceedingly bright child being deaf and dumb. Every morning the President, before entering his office, invariably passes some minutes in listening to the childish prattle of his little daughter. It is Mrs. Cleveland's wish that her daughter shall speak by instruction in German, assuming that she will at the same time learn English by birth, association and simultaneous training. Ruth is an unusually bright child, and has already said many words and sentences for a child of her age.

THE RECORDER.

PHILADELPHIA, March 19, '94.

Fancy Dress Party at Salem Society of Deaf-Mutes.

A fancy dress party was held under the auspices of the Salem Society of Deaf-Mutes, at their rooms in Hale's building, last week. The managers were Mrs. Samuel S. Cross, of Beverly, Mrs. Joseph Soper and Frank Nolan, of Salem. About forty ladies and gentlemen were present, some coming from Boston, Lynn and Beverly.

Dancing, old-fashioned games, and peanut hunting helped to pass a very happy evening. Ice cream and cake were served. Last fall the society gave a crazy party, and the coming summer will hold a strawberry festival.

Below is the list of those in costume and the characters personated.

FEMALES.

Mrs. Swett, as "Queen Victoria," looked dignfied.

Mrs. Cross, "Bo-Peep," a Swiss shepherdess, looked cute and pretty. Her easy movements with her crook attracted praise and admiration, especially from the gentlemen present. She acted like a little actress.

Mrs. Soper, "Smilax," attired in a handsome Nile green crepe, with abundance of smilax on her head and waist, added beauty to the costume.

Miss Odelie Thibault, "Pink," was considered the prettiest lady, because of her beautiful dress and fair complexion.

Mrs. Letts, "Empress of Russia," looked ladylike in her rich silk dress.

Martha Durken, "Bluebells," was gay—like ringing bells. The tiny blue bells added gayety to the party.

Betsy Gray, a "Sweet Girl Graduate," really looked modest and sweet.

Miss French, of Lowell, dressed like a "Pale Rose," seemed to enjoy herself very much.

Mrs. Abbott, of Winsted, Conn., "Forget-Me-Not," was charming in her sweet ways. Her acquaintances were delighted to see her again.

Miss Love, of Lynn, wore a becoming satin costume, and looked like "Sweet Love."

Her friend, Mrs. Boutilier, in a dark green dress, had no particular name for herself. She should have been named "English Ivy."

Mrs. Bowden, "Heliotrope," in black satin, with lavender ribbons, was made happy to receive many praises about her little girls—named Gertrude and Helena. Gertrude, "Morning Stars," becomingly attired in a white dress dotted with silver stars, was as lively as a grasshopper. Little Helena, "Morning Dew," in a tiny white slip, with glittering trimmings, looked so cute that she was the centre of attraction and received the constant and loving attention of Mr. Frisbee, of Everett.

Mrs. Wood, Frisbee, Burrill, Lang and Himes not being in costume, added much to the success of the party.

MALES.

Mr. Soper was neatly attired in a full-dress costume.

Mr. Mulcahy, "Dude," was perfect in costume, and received attention from his schoolmates.

Mr. Poland, Policeman, of Beverly, looked grand.

Henry Chapman looked aristocratic in an elegant esquire attire.

Mr. Letts, "Baker," was very obliging to cater to the wishes of the guests. He was ably assisted by three waiters wearing snow-like aprons.

Mr. Nolen's funny actions as a "Clown" amused the little children.

Master Fred. Southwich looked like a "Russian Boy," with his odd costume, and attracted attention.

Master Burrill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burrill, of Lynn, Mass., was a little gentleman, and enjoyed the company of the little children. It was regretted that Mr. Bigelow, of Chelsea, failed to bring along Mrs. Bigelow.

The gentlemen not in costume present were as follows: Messrs. Butler, Burrill, Cantlin, Welch, Williams, Ball, Knight, Saul, Scurtton, Grummison. All present thought the party was a successful affair. The gentlemen of the Society furnished the ice-cream, and the ladies cake, for which the committee wish to express their thanks. Mr. Ball, of Lynn, bought two loaves of cake at auction, and presented them to Miss Goldsmith by ballot.

A MEMBER.

Services for Deaf Mutes.

EASTER DAY MARCH 25, 1894.

St. Ann's Church, N. Y., 2.45 P.M. Holy Communion, Rev. Dr. Gallaudet.

St. Mark's Church, Brooklyn, 3 P.M. Holy Communion, Rev. Mr. Chamberlain.

Pro-Catherdal, Amsterdam Avenue and 110th St., 3 P.M., Prof. W. G. Jones.

Monday in Easter week, March 26th, Gallaudet Home for Deaf-Mutes at noon. Holy Communion, Rev. Dr. Gallaudet.

Copfirmation in St. Ann's Church, N. Y., on the 4th Sunday after Easter, April 22d.

CALIFORNIA.

Breezy Letter from the City of Angels.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA IN HER GLORY.

News Items Culled Here and There Among the Silent Folks.

(From our California Correspondent.)

Well might we say Southern California is a new Italy, and is in her glory. Far-famed climes are rivalled and outdone. Gleams of golden fruit appear in every vista. Oranges are in such marvelous abundance. Think of English walnuts, olive oil, beans, lemons, figs, wheat and barley, alfalfa and honey in great abundance. When the Nicaragua Canal is completed, this great enterprise will bring blessings and prosperity of whatever kind or character on the Pacific coast. It will awaken commerce and multiply the vessels that float upon the great oceans. It will build cities along the sea-coast for thousands of miles and fill our harbors with ships of all nations. When completed, it will be numbered among the greatest achievements of our beloved country. The time is coming when the inhabitants of the East will flee from the wrath of cyclones and blizzards "as the beloved of the Lord fled from the cities of the plains." Things are brighter to him whose eyes have looked for weary days upon the darkness of the dungeon and the song of the mocking-bird is sweeter than listening to the hoarse croaking of the crow; so our valleys appear more beautiful and our flowers lovelier far to him who has left a land where an icy breath chills the air, and has crossed the wide desert to make his home with us. Like Moses, he will climb the mountains and look into the promised land, but more fortunate than the great Hebrew lawgiver, he will be permitted to enter and dwell here.

Last Wednesday morning, the writer left Los Angeles, the City of the Queen of Angels, to take the Mt. Lowe Railway up the mountains. Half an hour's ride through and across the Arroyo-Seco to Pasadena, the delightful city of San Gabriel Valley; twenty minutes more, and Altadena was reached, amongst orange groves, rose gardens, vineyards and ever-blooming flowers; and another twenty minutes through the most romantic canyon in America brought us to Rubico. The Mt. Lowe Railway in Southern California is a remarkable achievement in mountain railroad building, both as regards the engineering difficulties overcome and the unique motor equipment of the road. The mountain road starts from Altadena Point, twelve miles from Los Angeles and three miles from Pasadena at the terminus of a local steam railway, which ascends the foothill mesa of the mountains to an altitude of 1,500 feet. The first two and a half miles of the Mt. Lowe Railway is an electric trolley road, and climbs up the remainder of the mesa for a mile and a half, and then penetrates Rubico Canyon, a deep and romantic gorge, for another mile, much of this part of the road being terraced out of the side of the granite mountains and conforming to the sharp curves of the lateral indentations. The trolley terminates at Rubico Hotel and Pavilion, a unique structure built across the canyon at an altitude of 2,200 feet, being somewhat higher than the summit of the Alleghanies where they across the State of Pennsylvania. Beyond the hotel, the canyon narrows to a deep tortuous gorge, or crooked chasms, with lofty walls of grellis, richly striated with hornblende and feldspar, and other bits of wild and romantic scenery. From Rubico Hotel, a double track and endless cable incline, 3,000 feet in length, lift the passenger to the summit of Echo Mountain, 3,500 feet above the sea. The view from Echo Mountain, facing the south, is one of unsurpassed loveliness. It embraces the broad San Gabriel Valley, with its cities, hamlets, orange groves and cultivated fields, bordered on the east by a serrated horizon of mountain peak, and on the south and west by a large segment of the Pacific Ocean, dotted along sixty miles of coast with pearly islands. During the winter there is no grander view ever presented than that seen from the summit of Mount Lowe to the north and east. Hundreds of thousands of acres of vast snow-fields glistening in the sun make a novel sight. Fourteen mountain ranges, snow-clad, can be seen. The massive rock grants of Southern California—Mount San Antonio, San Bernardino, San Jacinto and Santiago—are then seen at their best. Though overlooking the snow, the visitor generally stands amidst fragrant flowers, bees, humming birds and sunshine, and to the southwest looks down upon the ever-blooming "Paradise of the San Gabriel." It is impossible to do full justice to the scenery. After having had a most delightful trip and rich spectacular treat, we returned to Los Angeles in the evening.

The silent press of the country have made reference to Grenville S. Redmond, whom the California Institution sent abroad to take a course of study under a French Master, and the following which we find in a daily paper may prove of interest:

"About three months ago Grenville S. Redmond, a deaf-mute boy from this city, entered the famous Julian Academy of Art in Paris, France. Within ten days he made a picture of Achilles dragging the body of Hector around the walls of Troy. That picture won him second rank among all the students that attend that great art school. When the disadvantages that he labors under and his short time at school are considered, his achievement seem little short of wonderful. There are students from all over the world at Julian's. Some of them have been at work there for years and have become celebrated as painters. There are hundreds of artists there, and for a deaf and dumb boy to have excelled them all excepting one is an honor of which he has a right to be proud. Redmond, who is only twenty-two years old, left Berkeley November 10th, and five days later sailed from New York on the City of Berlin for Havre. He arrived in Paris December 8th, and began his work at the Ecole Julian on the following Monday. He had been a pupil at the Institution for the Deaf at Berkeley since January 2d, 1879. While there he gave evidence of great ability. When a mere lad he used to draw with colored crayons remarkable battle pictures and scenes from life, as background scenery for pantomime entertainments at the institute. His color effects were wonderful, and his friends in this city say that it is in that direction that he is bound to make a success.

"For three years before going to Paris, Redmond was a student at the art school in that city, his expenses being borne by the Berkeley Institution. He succeeded in gaining the Brown medal for the best drawing in 1891, and ever since then he has attracted the attention of the instructors by his ability. During the latter part of last year he began to do some illustrative work for the *Overland Monthly* and other local magazines. Last November the Directors at Berkeley determined to send Redmond to Paris to study. They resolved to allow him $600 for two years, and then if his progress warranted allow him another year study. The directors were able to do this by drawing on the Durham fund, out of which the expenses of Douglas Tilden, the deaf-mute sculptor, were paid. The money which composes this fund was bequeathed to the institution in 1871 by Robert Durham, of Butte County. He left all his property, amounting to $75,000, to the Institution for general purposes. The will was contested by the relatives, and after a number of years' litigation, was compromised at 33,000 dollars, which after $20,000 has been expended has grown to $46,000. From this fund and the $5,000 bequeathed by Louis Strauss, the Institution has provided five (5) scholarships of three years each in the Institution, and when exceptional talent is exhibited by the pupils there is offered them pecuniary assistance which may be needed for its development either at home or abroad.

"The first person to be sent abroad was Douglas Tilden in 1889. He has now taken a high rank among American sculptors. His 'Baseball Player' at Golden Gate Park, the 'Tired Boxer' at the Olympic Club, the 'Young Acrobat,' owned by W. E. Brown of this city, and the 'Indian Hunter', which attracted so much favorable comment at Chicago, are among his well-known works. For the 'Tired Boxer' he received from the French salon the award of honorable mention, which is the highest honor an American sculptor has ever received from the French committee. He is now working on a foot-ball subject for this year's salon. Tilden met Redmond at Paris and took him in charge. Superintendent Wilkinson told Redmond that he couldn't make the journey to Paris alone, because of his lack of experience, and also his physical defeats. The latter, however, suggested that he be labeled with a Wells Fargo tag, and sent right through. Dr. Wilkinson did the next best thing. He bought a through ticket to Paris, gave Redmond just enough money for his expenses, and two letters, one in French, and the other in English, stating his route, destination, etc. When Redmond arrived in Paris he wrote that he didn't use the letters once on the journey. The week following his first victory Redmond won third place in another competition, the subject being "Ephphatha" (be opened). A private letter just received from Tilden says: 'Redmond is all right. He simply walks away from the whole school,' Redmond's home is near Los Angeles. Before he sailed for Europe, he came to this city to bid all his relatives and friends good-bye, and they wished him good luck."

A few weeks ago one evening about 200 persons occupied the stage of Music Hall and enthusiastically testified to having been cured of total blindness and deafness, cripples, rheumatism, spinal curvature, eczema, rupture, paralysis, cancer and other alleged incurable diseases, by Dr. Warnon, of whom I referred to in a previous letter. Numerous sufferers received their first treatment and positively declared their deafness, blindness, paralysis, etc., had suddenly disappeared. Some were apparently cured without the contact of Dr. Warnon's hands, simply by a short prayer offered. Six alleged deaf-mutes clearly spoke after Dr. Warnon recited the whole of a long psalm. Paralytics and other lame subjects suddenly discarded the crutches and ran and leaped vigorously. The above is what the people here are being led to believe, but with what success may best be imagined, by the free public exhibitions by the faith-curist. A young deaf-mute's mother offered $1,000 to have her son cured of his deafness, but the fact that he did not regain his hearing one iota seems proof positive that not even the faith-curists can accomplish what modern science and surgery has attempted and failed.

There is considerable discussion going on in the papers about deaf-mutes as holders of life insurance policies. We remember that Amos Smith, of Boston, was insured for $10,000—$5,000 in the New England Life Insurance of Boston and $5,000 in the John Hancock Co. Also Mr. Hiram L. Livingston, of New Hampshire, was insured in the Berkshire Life Insurance Co., of Pittsfield, Mass., for $1,000. We consider the New England Life Insurance Co., as a sound and safe institution for deaf-mute applicants for life insurance policies.

On February 24th, William Ward took us to Santa Anita to attend the auction of 1000 acres of land. "Lucky" Baldwin was the owner—not only this, but he owns 60,000 acres. A fine collation was served on the grounds. Then Mr. Baldwin kindly consented, immediately after lunch, to have a parade of his world-famous Santa Anita thoroughbreds, including such noted horses as the Emperor of Norfolk, Gano, Clieveden, Reydel, Santa Anita, and many others of like note. After the auction was over, we went to visit the San Gabriel Mission—about 125 years old—and the priest invited us to inspect the ancient bell, etc. After a thorough inspection, we were homeward bound late at night.

Saturday evening of a few weeks ago, a certain deaf-mute society assembled at Mrs. William Kingsbury's house. The JOURNAL reporter was on hand, and was admitted without any objection, until Jim Lane moved that the reporter be excluded from the meeting. And although a few of the older and respectable ones insisted on his presence as a matter of courtesy, the motion was carried and the scribe politely retired.

John Sherman was asked at St. Paul's Church last Sunday if he had got work. He replied that he was still lame, and could not do manual labor and must live on charity. He was subsequently seen begging around town, and the police got scent of him and were about to haul him in, when he got a "tip" and skipped town. He is said to have collected more than $150 here. He was recently in Santa Barbara, but the mutes there made it too warm for him, and he came back here. Where next?

The following is from the Los Angeles *Times* of March 8th:

SANTA BARBARA, March 7.—(Special Correspondence) A middle-aged man with a light, sandy moustache, wearing a cap, is Charles T. Thayer's description of the deaf-mute who wrote on a slate last Thursday afternoon the request that Mr. Thayer permit him the use of a horse and cart to drive out to Ellwood, stating by the same means that he would be back Saturday. The liveryman was confiding enough to let the rig go without payment in advance being made. Saturday night came around without the man, who on a printed card gave the name of John Sherman with other particulars more or less specious as follows:

"John Sherman, a deaf-mute, who resides in the mountains forty-three miles east of of Visalia, is in the city asking for help for himself and his destitute family. The man is badly crippled from a recent accident, and has four children, two of them deaf-mutes, who are said to be living most of the time on parched corn. The charitably inclined are called upon for assistance."

Sunday did not bring forth the rig or deaf-mute, and Monday morning the telephone was brought into requisition, quickly locating the party wanted at Lompoc. Here he had stopped during Saturday, asking the way to Santa Maria. Inquiry turned in this direction produced satisfactory information and thither on Tuesday Deputy Storni was dispatched. The pair should be in town this (Wednesday) afternoon. There are two circumstances which give this accident foreign interest. The mute had made a tour of the town on a begging expedition, and it is said displayed a letter purporting to be from a member of the Los Angeles *Times* staff, together with a clipping from that paper. Not one of those to whom these were shown could, however, recollect the name attached to the letter or the nature of the clipping. Moreover, a dastardly attempt at a brutal assault made by a deaf mute about a week ago on a lady resident of this city, came to the knowledge of your correspondent. Unless it should prove to be the same individual, nothing is gained by giving the affair publicity, as the attempt failed in its object completely, fortunately for the lady concerned.

(Nothing is known of the man Sherman at the *Times* office, and if he has a letter it is probably a forgery.)

The above referred to Sherman was brought back to Santa Barbara last Wednesday evening. The rig was handed back to the livery stable proprietor who expressed himself as satisfied, and Sherman, on the motion of the district attorney, was set free.

Charles Thompson, a prince of good fellows, closed nearly a month's visit in Southern California, and went to San Francisco. His traveling companion was M. D. Wright, of St. Paul, Minn., who has two deaf sisters in Vermont, one of whom is Mrs. Lillie, of Northfield, Vt. After an inspection of the Midwinter Exposition, they will visit Portland, Ore., on their way home. Mr. Thompson thinks Los Angeles a lovely place, and is clean in love with it. Probably he will spend next winter here. He spent December and January last in Thomasville, Ga., and New Orleans for his health, part of the time of which he occupied in hunting. He owns about 800 acres of land in Minnesota, and has thirty-five fine horses. His "Riverside Stock Farm" is said to be the finest in that State.

Prof. J. L. Noyes and wife, of Faribault, Minn., are stopping at the Hotel Figuerva, in this city, where they have been nearly a month. Mr. Noyes looks much better, in fact is himself as of old, and appears to be enjoying his quite lengthy furlough. They intend visiting Santa Barbara, on their homeward journey.

On the electric car the other day, the writer made the acquaintance of two young ladies, one of whom asked if he knew Miss Essie Spanton and Mr. and Mrs. Haight, of New York. On answering in the affirmative, the young lady said she had the pleasure of meeting them in Europe last summer and expressed a desire to meet them again, especially at her home in this city where she could entertain them as her guests.

W. E. Hoy, the baseball player, was in town a few weeks ago playing for the Boston in a game with the Los Angeles team. The Los Angeles team were beaten. Hoy received several deaf-mute friends at his hotel in the evening. He went East the next morning with his club.

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Ould on the occasion of Mr. Ould's birthday, February 27th, and a good time generally was enjoyed by all present, after which a bounteous collation was served. Prof. J. L. Noyes and wife, W. E. Dean and wife, Thomas Widd and wife, and many others were present and contributed to enliven the festivities.

Mrs. William Ward's birthday, which occurred on the 9th, was not forgotten by her friends, and her excellent husband issued invitations to their friends to spend the afternoon with them. They responded in numbers that insured a pleasant gathering, in which a richly laden table was an important factor in refreshing the proceedings.

It is whispered around that Henry Krackle will lead Mrs. Hobday to the hymenal altar before long. Both are esteemed and popular in this vicinity. Mr. Krackle is a tailor by trade, and claims Germany as his birthplace. The many friends of the above party join in congratulating them upon the prospective event.

Mr. Benjanim Wood, of Ventura, was in town for a couple of days recently.

Rev. Thomas Widd is on the sick list, but not seriously.

Our friend "Bridgeporter" is mistaken in saying Mr. Livingston organized a new society here. One was in existence for years, and though a new one has sprung up, he is no more responsible for its existence than he would be for its non-existence.

The New Englanders out here appreciate the New England correspondence in the JOURNAL. "Free Lance" is a veritable memorizer of events as well as all that his pseudonym implies.

ANGELICA.

LOS ANGELES, March 16.

ST. LOUIS.

It is reported that a calico party is to be given at the Club-room on the 31st.

Miss Mamie Dillion has got work in the millinery department at the Famous.

Mr. Clyde Jones, a pupil in the Jacksonville School, was seen at Rev. Mr. Cloud's morning service on the 11th.

Miss Florence Phelps expects to go to Carthage, Mo., on the 30th, for a short visit.

Rev. Mr. Cloud will go to Kansas City, to hold service, on the 1st of April.

There is talk of having the Illinois Alumni Reunion, June 18th, 19th and 20th, at Springfield, Ill.

It is reported that the new Chicago paper, *The National Exponent*, has more than thirty pledged subscribers in this city.

Miss Wilkingson, of Taylorville, Ill., Miss Pearl W. Herdman's old teacher, has been in this city several days, and visited Miss Herdman at the Day School recently.

An item is going the rounds of the papers, saying that Rev. Job Turner is the oldest living deaf clergyman, and that he has been a minister longer than any other living deaf minister. We asked Rev. Mr. Cloud about this, and he said that Rev. Mr. Turner was the oldest deaf clergyman, but that the Rev. A. W. Mann has been a clergyman longer than any other deaf person, as he was a priest before Rev. Mr. Turner was made a deacon.

P. P.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 16, '94.

ERIE, PA.

A good-sized audience was present at the Gem City Deaf-Mute Club, on Friday evening, the 16th. Doors were thrown wide open a few moments after eight o'clock, and an entertainment in "Natural Magic" was given by Ovid Cohen, who is an excellent magician. For several hours he amused the audience with his tricks, one of the best being to borrow fifty cents from somebody, put it into a small willow basket, and cause it to disappear and re-appear in a box.

Mr. G. S. Greenfield, of Edinboro, Pa., came to this city on business, recently. He was manager for the Mammoth Panorama Sciopticon in that city some time ago.

Easter Sunday at St. Francis Xavier's

At the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Sixteenth Street West of 5th Avenue, services for deaf-mutes, Easter Sunday, at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Joseph M. Stadelman, S. J., Director. Rev. Henry Van Rensselaer, S. J., is expected to address the meeting. Sign interpretation of his remarks by Mr. Anson T. Colt.

NEW YORK.

"Rose Michael" Entertains the New Jersey Mutes.

THOMAS GODFREY STILL AT IT.

A Stir in Sporting Circles, due to "Dummy" Mace's Arrival—Notes Personal and Not Personal.

From our New York Correspondent.

A revival of the oft-repeated "Rose Michel" (not "Rose Michael" as the typo persisted in setting it) was enacted by Mr. Thomas Godfrey last Saturday evening, before an audience of pronounced numbers at the room of the New Jersey Deaf-Mute Society.

To the verdant New Jersey mute it was a great treat, in somuch as the New Yorkers and Brooklynites present doubtless remembered its last appearance; when the same actor figured in the character role or roles."

To make his entry a noteworthy one, a party of Mr. Godfrey's colleagues in the Brooklyn Society took an advance car, and their presence was favorably commented upon by the home organization.

President James W. Nash was compelled by business engagements to forego the pleasure of introducing the distinguished gentleman from the city of Churches. Consequently, that much sought after honor devolved upon Vice-President William Hutton. He acquitted his part in a way that called for applause from the audience.

The theme was an old one, Mr. Godfrey's sign-rendering, however, made amends for its age. He held the interested attention of his audience for a couple of hours, and no one that left the room on their way home, but were agreed they had been well entertained.

In Gotham nothing of any great moment occurred to enthuse the circle of silent folk. On Friday, however, there arrived from Australia, an individual of the male gender, who has created quite a stir among the sport loving deaf-mutes. He is known as Edward Mace, though at the ring side he is referred to as "Dummy" Mace. With his backers, he visited the *Police Gazette* office, and there issued a challenge to meet any man in America, at the 126 lb. limit. The dead game deaf-mute sport hereabouts has been awfully anxious to meet Mr. Mace, since the news of his arrival was heralded in the newspapers.

A good-sized attendance characterized the Xavier Deaf-mute Union's meeting on Friday evening. A constitution and bylaws has been drafted and was read for the edification and approval of the members. The Union discussed a proposition made to hold an Eastertide reception. If a suitable place can be secured, perhaps it will happen. Twenty-five names are now enrolled, and the prospect favors a good many others by the time of the next meeting. During Holy Week no meeting will be held by the Union. They convene again next Friday, March 23.

A special meeting was in order for Saturday under Fanwood Quad Club auspices. The chief item for its call was inaugural dinner affairs. If that event comes off as planned by the committee in charge there is no denying that it will be a swell.

Prof. William G. Jones held the pulpit in St. Ann's church on Sunday his sermon treating of the lesson of the day contained in the Passion of our Lord. It is spoken that Mr. Jones, already a deacon of the Protestant Episcopal Church, will before another year has elapses, become a regularly ordained minister, to work in connection with the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Clara Huguson of Brooklyn, N. Y., to Mr. Henry Quigg, of this city. The ceremony will be performed at the Church of St. Raphael, April 2d.

William H. Rose, in bicycle uniform, and astride an expensive-looking machine, whizzed by Madison Square through 23d Street, Sunday afternoon.

There seemed to be a wide swath cut in the Fifth Avenue Hotel's silent corner on Palm Sunday. The reason advanced were the Union League members were enjoying the privacy of their newly-acquired club room. What are the other fellows going to do about that club house?

For the first time in many months, Mr. John Hogan was seen in deaf-mute circles Sunday. His wife was with him. Mr. Hogan has changed very little during his long absence, except, perhaps, to have grown a particle stouter.

William McVea was in town on Sunday, regaling his friends with happenings in the Quaker City. He spoke well of all he met. Principally of the fact the Philadelphia mutes have a church of their own. Mr. McVea was impressed with the strict silence maintained by the congregation at All Souls' Church, during the time they were in the edifice. Mr. McVea's brother has become one of the "Finest," and has been accorded a responsible post in the "Tenderloin" district.

The services at St. Francis Xavier on Palm Sunday were held in the lower church. The attendence was particularly prominent as to numbers. Rev. Father Stadelman gave a brief outline of the meaning of Palm Sunday. The narrative of the Savior's Passion was then conducted, Father Stadelman, Mr. A. T. Colt, and Mr. J. F. Donnelly taking part, and the services being rendered orally and in signs. Before the exercises of the benediction of the Blessed Sacrament that followed, the distribution of neatly printed cards, containing the hymns sung during this service, called attention to the fact, made known by Father Stadelman, they were another kind donation made by their good friend, Mrs. Robert McGuiness.

Business seems to be on the bright side again, if we are to conjecture from the stories around that many deaf-mutes a long time without work are again back at their places.

The friends of Mr. James P. Donohue may be pleased to hear from him. In a recent letter, Mr. Donohue writes from Charleston, Boston, Mass., that although business is not away up on Prosperity Road, still he finds life worth living, and is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances. His liking for the stage has not diminished one whit since he acquitted himself so creditably as a clown in pantomimes held in this city some years ago. He agrees with most New Yorkers who journey to other cities, in saying there is no place like Gotham. If the Boston mutes want to hold up a dramatic entertainment that will be appreciated by the cultivated hearing and deaf-mute folk of their vicinity, they will find in Mr. Donohue a man who can supply the necessary information for the successful carrying out of such. Jim's friends hereabouts send their regards.

MONTAGUE TIGG.

BALTIMORE.

On Tuesday Mr. William A. Bentz attained the 73d milestone of his life. As a consequence, many of his mute friends tendered him a very enjoyable surprise party at his cosy home. As early as 7 o'clock the merrymakers took possession of his home, and made everything ready before his return from a visit at his son-in-law's, where he had been invited to take supper. At 9 o'clock, Mr. Bentz opened his door, when to his great amazement he beheld a long row of his friends chatting, merrily chatting, with each other. He soon recovered himself and began to shake hands with all present. He was then taken to the parlor and presented with a beautiful crayon portrait of himself and easel by his friends, as a token of appreciation. Then Miss Maggie Schuman rendered in signs a pretty birthday poem. Mr. Bentz was greatly affected, and with eyes moist he thanked all for their kind regard for him. Everybody was then invited to the dining room, where refreshments, etc., were served, to which they did ample justice. Games, etc., were indulged in till a late hour, when all departed for their homes, after having thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Freidenrich, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Thies, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. O. Amoss, Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Branflick and little son Harry, Misses Bertha Kriesel, Maggie O'Neill, Sarah Gourley, Emma Hopkins, Maggie Schuman, Messrs. William McElroy, R. E. Underwood, H. S. Anderson, Jas. W. Briscoe, Philip Boss, J. E. Fowble, E. E. Butterbaugh and W. A. Smithson.

The Society will hold a reception at their hall on Easter Monday. The president appointed the following committee to see that it will be a success: Messrs. W. McElroy and R. E. Underwood and Misses Maggie Schuman and Bertha Kriesel.

Our friend and moderator, Prof. G. W. Veditz, has at last become tired of single blessedness, and has decided to take unto himself a wife. The happy event will take place in June. The lady's name is Miss Bessie Bigler, also of Colorado. Prof. Veditz's friends here send their congratulations.

Mr. J. A. Branflick gave a lecture in the society hall on Wednesday evening, taking for his subject, Othello. The proceeds of the lecture went to the poor of this city. Enough was gotten to pay for a hundred loaves of bread, and which were sent to one of the station houses.

The officers of the Maryland State Association are: G. W. Veditz, President; J. A. Branflick, 1st Vice-President; W. McElroy, 2d Vice-President; Miss Alto M. Lowman, 3d Vice-President; Albert C. Buxton, Secretary; Aaron Showman, Treasurer. The Association was organized in Frederick, at the School of the Deaf, two years ago.

It has been decided to hold the State Convention in this city from July 24th to the 27th.

The first day the members will convene in the society hall to transact business. The picnic will be held on the next day, the 25th, and on the 26th, an excursion will take place down the bay. On the evening of the 27th, the affair will wind up with a banquet at the "Cafe Calvert," in the Equitable Building, a sky-scraping structure, and the most elegant in the City of M[illegible].

Messrs. McElroy, Underwood and Smithson are home again from the celebration in Philadelphia, where they greatly enjoyed themselves. They speak glowing by of the good treatment they received at the hands of the Philadelphia boys. Good for them. We now extend them an invitation to be present at our Easter reception, if this is not too late.

HARRY W.

COLUMBUS.

Superintendent Clark Resigns.

THE "FAMILY PLAN" TO BE ADOPTED.

Mr. Tyler Was a Teacher for Several Years—Baseball Begins.

(From our Columbus correspondent.)

The trustees of the Institution held their monthly meeting Thursday evening, and after the transaction of some routine business, Superintendent Clark presented his resignation, to take effect when his successor was appointed. This was adopted by all the members voting for it. The board appointed a committee of two members to examine into the capabilities of the applicants for the position of superintendent, and report their action at the next board meeting.

"Another important matter acted on by the board last evening was that of separating the girls into what is known as families. The principal object the trustees have in view in taking this step is to secure better sanitary regulations and to separate the smaller from the larger girls. The arrangement will also be the means of giving those in charge better supervision of the large number of students. There are now 180 girls in the Institution, and they occupy two dormitories, without any separation at all, which renders the atmosphere in the rooms very unhealthy. Under the proposed arrangement, the girls are to be divided into eight families and partitions put in the dormitories, thus making eight separate and distinct sleeping-rooms. Each family will have its own dormitory and sitting-room, and will be under the supervision of one attendant. This movement has been under consideration and discussion for several months, but no definite action was taken until last evening. The work was ordered done at once. The board also directed the plumbing on the boys' side of the building to be looked after."

In regard to Mr. Tyler, about whom "Free Lance" seeks information, the records of the Institution state that William E. Tyler was a *teacher*, not superintendent, here from 1853 to 1861. There are still several persons here who were connected with the Institution when Mr. Tyler was a teacher. So far as we can learn anything about him, nothing derogatory to his character is said. The *Chronicle* of this week has the following in reference to the item of "Free Lance":

Superintendent Stone, in his annual report of 1860, writes:

Mr. William E. Tyler, who had been for seven years a teacher in the Institution, left at the close of the last term, to enter upon a tour of foreign travel. Mr. Tyler is accompanied on his journey by the best wishes of his late associates, though the loss of seven years' experience in the instruction of deaf-mutes is a serious one both to the Institution and to the profession.

The Institution grounds, Saturday afternoon last, presented their old-time appearance when a game of ball was in progress. Not only were the boys out in full force, but also many of the larger girls, including a good sprinkle of city visitors. The attraction, of course, was a game of ball—the first of the season. The weather had put the grounds in good condition to try their luck with one of their former rivals, the Giants of this city.

Both clubs, as an initial game, played well, considering that they had no previous practice, especially the Independents. The latter, although defeated, promise to do better when they get their hand in. The score was Giants, 6; Independents, 3.

This afternoon, weather permitting, the Capital University Club will try its luck with the Independents.

Mr. A. H. Schory, for two hours, entertained Clionia last Saturday evening with a lecture, "Wilfried of Ivanhoe." The narrative was especially pleasing, and greatly enjoyed by all who were fortunate to be of the audience.

The Ladies' Aid Society held their last meeting at the home of Mrs. Zell, Thursday evening. The membership was increased by two new members being taken in. The next meeting will be held May.

Mr. T. E. Muller, who has been assisting Mr. Charles in the printing-office since fall, severed his connection therewith last week. If he does not secure a place in one of the printing-offices in town or at his home, he may act as book agent for a standard work.

Mr. Ferdinand Ganshorn came down from Marion County, Monday, to attend "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the Grand Opera House. He was a visitor at the Institution Tuesday.

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March 17–'94.

Rev. C. O. Dantzer's Appointments.

MARCH.

18.—3.00 P.M., St. Luke's, Rochester.
19.—7.30 P.M., St. John's, Auburn.
20.—7.30 P.M., Christ Church, Binghamton.
28.—10.30 A.M., St. James', Buffalo. Holy Communion.
25.—7.30 P.M., St. James', Buffalo. Evening Prayer.

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Mrs. George Homer, of Boston, accompanied her married daughter to the opera where "Carmel" played beautifully.

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THE USES OF ALUMINUM.

A thousand new uses have been discovered for aluminum, says the Washington *Star*. Already it has driven silver out of the arts to some extent. It has almost superseded the latter metal as foil for "gilt" work, because it is quite as beautiful and can be beaten into leaf nearly as thin as gold leaf. The production of it has surpassed that of copper and lead.

In fact, aluminum is destined soon to take the place of lead and copper, to a large degree, as well as that of iron when it becomes cheap enough. Economical processes for its reduction alone are needed. There is more of it in the world than there is of iron. It forms seven per cent of the material of the earth's crust. Every clay bank is a mine of it, and nearly all rocks literally ore beds of it. At present it is comparatively dear, because no method has, as yet, been discovered for obtaining it at small cost from common clays. The minerals from which it is now derived are comparatively rare.

This country produced eighty-three pounds of aluminum in 1883. In 1892 the output of the United States was 260,000 pounds. Last year, one concern in Germany, at the falls of the Rhine, turned out 720,000 pounds of it. The domestic production is to be largely increased by works at Niagara Falls, which will utilize the power of the Niagara tunnel. Up to January 1, 1893, the total world's output of the metal has been only about 1,000 tons. But it is not long since aluminum was regarded only as a curious experimental creation of the laboratory. It history is all before it.

Slate pencils are among the novelties made of it. The soft aluminum wire, with sharpened point, works admirably upon school slates. Such pencils are much more durable than the old-fashioned kind, suffering less wear and tear. Shoes of this metal are now employed for race horses. Not only do they possess the advantage of lightness, but they are said to preserve the feet of the animals remarkably. Racing shells are formed of single sheets of aluminum, one-nineteenth of an inch thick, weighing less than cedar. One such boat, for four oarsmen, lowered the mile record nine seconds on the Schuylkill River last summer.

Aluminum is beginning to be utilized for roofing in sheets like tin, the cost of it for that purpose being about the same as copper. It may be rolled down to a thickness of 5-10,000 of an inch. The beaten "leaf" is now employed to a considerable extent in decoration. It is thus used in leading hotels of New York and other cities. All the ornamental work of the Transportation Building at the World's Columbian Exposition was on a base of thin aluminum foil. The metal "takes" oil colors well, and sheets and plaques of it are being manufactured in great quantities for artists.

One of the most important of future uses of aluminum is for kitchen utensils. The heavy iron pot, which the cook can scarcely lift off the fire, will be superseded by a vessel of the white metal that, while equal in capacity and strength, may be raised with a finger. This new material, remember, is as light as a chalk. At the same time it is so strong that any kind of hollow ware formed of it may be knocked about to any extent and bent into all sorts of shapes without breaking. An aluminum pot costs no more than a copper one, and, unlike the latter, it does not have to be lined with tin for culinary employment, because it does not corrode. For tea kettles, coffee pots and covered dishes intended to retain heat, it serves admirably.

Various accoutrements for German and French soldiers are now made of aluminum, such as breastplates, helmets, belts and buckles. From the military point of view in these days it is of the utmost importance to save every possible ounce of weight in equipment, in order that the fighting man may carry the maximum quantity of ammunition. Even cartridge shells are being turned out in the same metal. The latter is drawn to the finest sizes of wire. The addition of a small percentage of it to type metal makes the type far more durable. The remarkable development of the last few years in the quality of steel castings is due to an admixture of aluminum, which renders the steel more fluid. Even ordinary stoves now contain somewhat of the same ingredient.

A new and beautiful alloy is produced by mixing twenty-two parts of aluminum with seventy-eight parts of gold, the result being a rich ruby tint. The white metal is also plated with gold, silver and nickel. It is employed in making the finest kind of art castings by a company at Passaic, N. J., engraved, chased and repousse work being brought out with as much perfection of detail and finish as is exhibited by electrotypes. The concern referred to turns out thousands of medallions and groups of human figures and animals bas-relief, using molds of sand and plaster of paris. These articles may be thrown across the room and will not break, as would iron castings similary treated. They [illegible] instruments of various kinds are now being made of aluminum, which is elastic and capable of vibrations through a wide range of tonepitch. The material has the great advantage of being proof against moisture, and it will not split under any circumstances. Ever since the new metal became available at a moderate price it has been utilized by experimenters in flying machines. Before long it will be extensively used for bridges, because it is so light and strong. It is the substance from which the new Diana of the Madison Square Garden, New York, is cast.

Other uses to which it is being put are for propellers for ships, valves for airbrakes, opera glasses, picture frames, cigar cases, medals, vases, salvers, watches, bicycles, brushes and combs, and forks and spoons. For these table utensils it has the disadvantage that a slight coating of its own oxide always gives it a greasy feel, so that it is never likely to supercede silver in this way.

Aluminum has a number of wonderful properties. Most striking among these is its lightness. Ten cubic inches of it weigh less than a pound. Iron is nearly four times as heavy, gold nearly eight times.

It is not acted upon by organic secretions. Hence it is most serviceable for surgical instruments, for wires to sew up wounds, etc.

It is almost absolutely proof against seawater, and in that respect is much better than copper for sheathing the bottom of vessels. Unfortunately, those pernicious mollusks, barnacles, seem to thrive on it, as they do on steel. But an aluminum, bronze made by mixing a small percentage of the white metal with copper, is free from this objection and serves admirably for the purpose.

Aluminum is only exceeded in malleability by gold and silver. In point of ductility it is seventh among the metals, ranking after copper in that respect. It is equal to silver in taking and retaining a very high polish. Fine effects are produced by first burnishing and then stamping it so as to show unpolished figures in relief.

It is absolutely non-magnetic, and for this reason is largely employed for electrical appliances. A small percentage of silver mixed with it hardens and strengthens it, making it most suitable for many kinds of engineering and other scientific apparatus. The demand for it in astronomical and other instruments for physical science is growing.

It is a remarkably good conductor of heat and electricity. On the latter account it was selected as the material of the pyramidal cap which now forms the apex of the Washington Monument. This cap excited great interest in 1885, when it was put on, the metal being at that time worth $8 a pound. The monument has been struck by lightning several times, but the dangerous fluid has been carried from the aluminum cap down the lightning rod 550 feet into the ground. Perhaps if it had not been for the safeguard thus provided, the huge obelisk might even now be in ruins.

Aluminum was first isolated in 1827 by Wouler, who had previously discovered the metals barium, magnesium and calcium, obtaining them from alkaline earth by means of electricity. Calcium is sold at this day for $300 an ounce, owing to the difficulty of separating it from the elements with which it is ordinarily found combined, though it is reckoned that the skeleton of a man contains $18,000 worth of it. That some of the existing metals remain as yet unknown, is quite certain.

For a long time this white metal was manufactured only in the laboratory of the chemist, for the sake of experiment. Only half a-dozen years ago, melancholy notices were printed in the newspapers reporting the death of "the only man who possessed the secret of producing it in large quantities, on an enconomical basis." Nevertheless, it can now be obtained in amounts practically unlimited for 65 cents a pound It is on the market in the form of ingots, plates, sheets, bars, wires, castings, foil, etc. Its property of strength without weight renders it far more serviceable for mechanical purposes in general than any other known substance. It can be dissolved out of any clay bank by the use of concentrated sulphuric acid, but the process is too costly. Sooner or later a method will be found for producing it as cheaply as iron.

Senator Pfeffer has already guggested its employment as money. In the halcyon days of aluminum currency every body will have unlimited cash, and poverty may be permanently abolished.

Until recently the only material known to be available for supplying aluminum was "cryolite," a mineral obtained in Greeland, which is the only place where it can be mined in paying quantities. A Pennsylvania company, which is engaged in the manufacture of sodium salts and other salts for chemical purposes, imports this stuff in enormous quantities. The residue left from its operations is oxide of alumina. This material is sold in bulk to a concern in Pittsburg, which now produces all of the metal turned out in the United States. A powerful current of electricity is passed through the ore, heating it to an enormously high temperature, drying off the oxygen and leaving behind the pure aluminum.

Fortunately, within a short time an inexhaustible supply of available ore has been discovered in great beds of bauxite, which run through eight counties of Georgia and Alabama, the deposit forming a belt seventy miles [illegible] This source is already being largely drawn upon, much of it containing as high as forty-eight per cent of the wonderful metal. The material is found in "pockets," and enough of it is readily accessible to furnish the world with aluminum for centuries to come.

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ALL SOULS' WORKING PEOPLE'S CLUB & CLERC LITERARY ASSOCIATION.

This club, organized on September 22d, 1865, and reorganized November 28th, 1888, is entirely non-sectarian, and any deaf person over eighteen years of age may join it by agreeing to pay a small sum of money monthly for its support. The purpose of the club is to supplement the instruction received while at school, by a course of lectures and other literary exercises, and the provision of reading matter of a suitable character. In addition, harmless and rational amusements are provided. The club has the use of the guild rooms in All Souls' Church for the Deaf, Franklin Street, above Green. The officers of the club are: Rev. J. M. Koehler, *Ex-officio* Chairman; (Vacant) Vice-Chairman; M. C. Fortescue, President; Wm. McKinney, First Vice-President; Herbert Scott, Second Vice-President; J. S. Reider, Secretary and Treasurer, whose address is No. 1812 Marston Street; Mrs. J. S. Reider, Assistant Secretary; Wm. McKinney, Assistant Treasurer; and Harry Gunkel, Sergeant-at-Arms. The club rooms are open on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

ANDERSON CLUB.

The Anderson Club of Cincinnati, O., was reorganized in 1893, the name being changed from the Anderson Society organized in 1879, and has for its object the bettering of the mental, moral and social welfare of its members. Opens its rooms every night and business meetings on first Saturday night, and ladies' night on fourth Saturday night of each month. Non-resident visitors welcome. A. Rembeck, President; B. C. Wortman, Vice-President; S. J. Bacheberle, Secretary; Alf. Bierlein, Treasurer; Dan. J. Riordan, Librarian, and Aug. Boos, Sergeant-at-arms. The Secretary's address is 36 Jones Street, Cincinnati, Ohio.

APOLLO WORKINGMEN'S CLUB.

The object of the Apollo Workingmen's Club, a branch of Southwark Turn and Sonntagsschul, is to advance its members in social, intellectual and physical welfare. Members take regular exercise in the gymnasium of the Verein every Tuesday and Friday evenings. Business meetings are held on the first Saturday evening of every month at the Southwark Turn Halle, 1127—33 Wharton Street. The officers for 1892—'93 are: President, William G. Pownall; Vice-President, Abraham Jaggard; Secretary, James E. Morony; Assistant Secretary, Henry Blanckensee; and Treasurer, Wm. Henry Lipsett. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary at Southwark Turn Halle, 1127—33 Wharton Street, Phila.

BALTIMORE DEAF-MUTE SOCIETY.

The Society holds its meetings every alternate Wednesday in the basement of the Primitive Baptist Church, on Madison St., one door east of Calvert St. Its object is for improving the mental faculties of the deaf, and of cultivating a taste for literature, oratory and debate, and of exerting a good moral influence by social intercourse. Lectures will be announced from time to time by the President. The officers are President, J. A. Branflick; Vice-President, R. E. Underwood; Secretary, James H. Mooney; Treasurer, J.E. Fowble; Sergeant-at-Arms, E. E. Butterbaugh. Address all letters, etc., to the Baltimore Society for the Deaf, Madison St., 1 Door East Calvert.

BROOKLYN GUILD FOR DEAF-MUTES.

The Brooklyn Guild for Deaf-Mutes, of St. Mark's P. E. Church, organized January 7th, 1892. Meets in Adelphi Street, bet. Dekalb and Willoughby Avenues, Brooklyn. The meetings are held in the room of St. Mark's Chapel, on the first Thursday of each month, at 8 P.M. Object: To help the needy and destitute among the religious deaf-mutes in Brooklyn. The present officers are: President, James S. Orr; Vice-President, H. L. Juhring; Treasurer, Fred G. Backhus. Address all communications to the secretary, Wm. G. Gilbert, 535 Evergreen Avenue, Brooklyn.

CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION.

This association is a branch of the Y. M. C. A., of San Francisco. President, Theodore Grady; Vice-President, Koosuth Selig; Secretary, Wm. H. Winslow; Treasurer, Henry J. McCoy; Librarian, Frank B. Shattuck. Divine services first and third Sundays in each month, alternate at 11 A.M. Regular business meetings, first Thursday in each month. Address all communications to the Secretary, Wm. H. Winslow, 232 Sutter St., San Francisco, Cal.

CHARITABLE RELIEF SOCIETY.

The Charitable Relief Society, of Boston. Organized 1888. The officers for 1894-5 are President, Mrs. Wm. J. Rudolph; Vice-President, Mrs. Adam Acheson; Secretary, Mrs. Edwin W. Frisbee, 78 Broadway, Everett, Mass; Treasurer, Mrs. Isaac A. Blanchard. Visiting Committee, Mrs. Frank W. Bigelow, Chairman, 125 Washington Ave., Chelsea, Mass., Miss S. F. Teele and Mrs. J. A. Beltis.

DEAF-MUTES' UNION LEAGUE OF NEW YORK CITY.

This organization is one formed for the purpose of bringing into closer intercourse the former students of the Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf-Mutes of the City of New York, and to disseminate such views as will tend to their welfare. It meets on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month, at 19 West 27th Street, corner of Broadway. President, Francis W. Nuboer; First Vice-President, E. Souweine; Second Vice President, James B. Gass; Secretary, Samuel Frankenheim, 45 Fulton Street; Financial Secretary, Simon Hirsch; Treasurer, A. C. Bachrach.

FANWOOD QUAD CLUB.

The Fanwood Quad Club is an organization composed mainly of deaf journeymen printers and writers for the deaf press, in New York and vicinity, but it is not confined to these alone, and admits any deaf person, who has attained the age of discretion, and is of good character and intelligence. Its object is "to cultivate fraternal feelings, to promote the social relations, and to uphold and assist what is deemed helpful or beneficial to its members, as individuals, and to the deaf at large as a class." The officers for the ensuing year are: Edwin A. Hodgson, President; Charles J. Le Clercq, Vice-President; Wm. G. Jones, Secretary; Thos. F. Fox, Treasurer. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary, Station M, New York City.

GALLAUDET SOCIETY, OF BOSTON.

The Gallaudet Society for Deaf-Mutes, organized 1886; reorganized 1893, and incorporated June, 1892, is an unsectarian society, and holds its meetings Wednesdays at 7:45 P.M., at St. Andrew's Hall, 38 Chambers Street, Boston, Mass. Literary exercises once a month, lectures, social gatherings, etc., occasionally. The officers for 1893-'94 are; Edwin W. Frisbee, President; A. A. Small, Vice-President; Wm. H. Lane, Secretary; A. S. Tufts, Treasurer, and Mrs. J. P. Frisbee, Librarian. Communications are to be addressed to the Secretary, 38 Chambers Street, St. Andrew's Hall, Boston, Mass.

GRANITE STATE MISSION.

The Granite State Deaf-Mute Mission meets every year in different parts of New Hampshire, and elects its officers every other year. The object of the mission is to promote the moral welfare of the mute community in the State. The officers are as follows:—Willie E. White, President, 128 Bowers St., Nashua; Mrs. Minerva Fish, Secretary, Nashua; Willie A. Deering, Treasurer, Pittsfield.

KANSAS CITY DEAF-MUTE CLUB

This club, organized January 7th, 1893, is entirely non-sectarian. Any deaf or semi-mute gentleman can join by paying the initiation fee of $1.00 and stipulated annual dues. The purpose of the club is to cultivate the social and mental improvement of its members, to provide suitable reading matter, also social games, and to stimulate general harmony amongst themselves. A good deaf-mute in his private character of father, son or husband fulfill their native claims with fidelity. Honest, sober and industrious we aim to be. The club holds its meetings on second Saturday of each month. Every member has a key, and is at full liberty to use the room at any time. Strangers in the city are cordially invited to come and see us. The officers for ensuing year, 1894, are Norman, D. Hunt, President; Louise Hecker, Vice-President; Hiram Gilkison, Secretary; F. D. Ellmaker, Treasurer; Henry Miller, Sergeant-at-arms. Address all communications to the Secretary at the Club room, Southeast Corner of 6th and Main Street, Humbolt Building, Kansas City, Mo.

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MUTUAL & CHARITABLE RELIEF SOCIETY OF BOSTON.

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PAS-A-PAS CLUB.

Pas-a-Pas Club, Chicago, Ill. Organized 1882, re-organized 1890, incorporated 1891. Club room, on top floor, 73 South Clark Street, opposite Court House. Business meetings on first Saturdays of each month. Social meetings and entertainments on the remaining Saturday evenings. Officers for 1894: President, C. C. Codman; Vice-President, J. J. Kleinhans; Second Vice-President, J. N. Bergler; Corresponding Secretary, F. P. Gibson, 3320 Dearborn Street; Recording Secretary, B. F. Frank; Treasurer, Morton Sonneborn; Librarian, Thomas Ritchie; Sergeant-at-Arms, W. H. McMillan; Trustees, Julius Ruben and G. T. Dougherty.

ST. LOUIS DEAF-MUTE CLUB.

The organization of the St. Louis Deaf-Mute Club occurred in the month of April, 1882, and its purposes are principally of a social nature, being non-sectarian and independent in every respect, to cultivate the social and mental improvement of its members by timely lectures, and also by the aid of general literature, to guarantee to them all the pleasures that were deprived by the loss of their hearing, and to stimulate general harmony among themselves. It holds its regular meeting every second Saturday of each month, in Room No. 12, on the 3d floor of the Empire Building, 919 Olive St. Every member has a key, and is at full liberty to use the room at any time. Strangers in the city should not forget that they are cordially invited to avail themselves of its opportunities. The officers are: Leo. A. Froning, President; John E. Campbell, Vice-President; H L. Johnson, Jr., Corresponding Secretary; Geo. D. Hunter, Recording Secretary; A. N. Merrill, Treasurer; E. D. Kingon, Collector; Henry L. Fritz, Sergeant-at-Arms. The Board of Directors are: W. H. Schaub, W. E. Guss and J. J. Brown. Trustees: W. T. Campbell and Charles Wolff. Address all communications to the Corresponding Secretary, 2264 Missouri Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

THE BROOKLYN SOCIETY OF DEAF-MUTES.

The Brooklyn Society of Deaf-Mutes meets every Saturday night, in Adelphi Hall, Adelphi Street, corner Myrtle Avenue, at 7:30 o'clock. Its object is to benefit socially and intellectually.

The officers of the Society are H. A. Schnakenberg, President; A. McLaren, First Vice-President; W. Moore, Second Vice-President; J. S. Orr, Secretary; H. L. Juhring, Treasurer; C. Conlon, Sergeant-at-Arms. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary, James S. Orr, 140 Wierfield Street.

THE LOS ANGELES ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF.

Services every Sunday at 3 P.M. at the Guild Room of St. Paul's Church, Olive Street, Los Angeles, at which all deaf-mutes are welcome and regularity of attendance desired. Objects: 1. The holding of religious services in the sign-language. 2. The social and intellectual improvements of deaf-mutes. 3. Assisting them to obtain employment at their trades. 4. Visiting and aiding them in sickness. 5. Giving information and aid where needed. Committee: Edward C. Ould, Alex. Houghton, Albert J. Trenholm. The P. O. address of Mr. Thomas Widd is Station D, Los Angeles, Cal., to whom all communications should be addressed.

THE MANHATTAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, OF NEW YORK CITY.

The Manhattan Literary Association meets every Thursday evening at 8 P.M., in the basement of St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, West 18th St., near 5th Avenue. Its regular business meetings are held every first Thursday of each month, debates every second, and lectures every third. Its object is to improve the moral, intellectual, and social welfare of its members. Its officers are: Theodore A. Froehlich, President; Franklin Campbell, First Vice-President; Emanuel Souweine, Second Vice-President; Max Miller, Secretary; Alex. Meisel, Treasurer; Joseph Sonneborn, Sergeant-at-arms. All correspondence should be addressed to the Secretary, 352 E. 82d Street, New York City.

THE NEW ENGLAND GALLAUDET ASSOCIATION OF DEAF-MUTES.

The New England Gallaudet Association of Deaf-Mutes, named in honor of Thomas H. Gallaudet, is now officered by John E. Crane, Connecticut, President; G. W. Wakfield, Maine, Vice-President; Harry E. Babbitt, Secretary, 48 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass.; Levi A. Lester, Rhode Island, Treasurer.

THE TROY LITERARY SOCIETY.

The society holds its meetings every Saturday evening at 7:30 P.M., in the Guild room of St. Paul's Church, cor. 3d and State Streets. Its regular meeting for ladies and gentlemen are held, second and fourth Saturdays of each month. The object is the moral improvement of its members by lectures, debates and story telling. The officers of the society are President, Harrison Burt; Vice-President, J. S. Kenney; Secretary, John Leo. Connerton; Treasurer, J. C. Ritter, and Sergeant-at-Arms, Hiram Brown. All the deaf-mutes and strangers in town and its vicinity are invited to drop in at the Bible Class and regular meetings. The Secretary's address is Bascom Pattern Works, Troy, N. Y.

THE SALEM SOCIETY.

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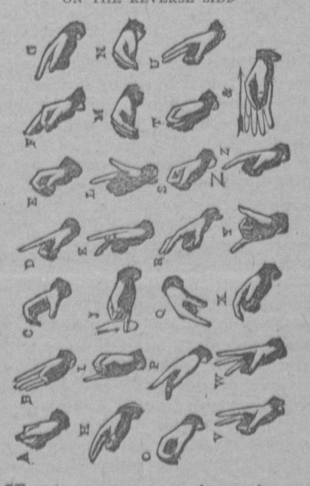
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